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# DINGEE ROSES

NEW GUIDE TO ROSE CULTURE

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*Francis Scott Key*

CHAS. DINGEE  
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THE DINGEE & CONARD CO.  
WEST GROVE, PA.

The Leading and Oldest Rose Growers of America



Famous  
Charles Dingee Rose

## "Charles Dingee"

### The Most Wonderful Bush Rose in the World

To honor the name of Charles Dingee, we think we produced a **Rose better than any other variety in cultivation**. We say, "Charles Dingee Rose" is far-and-away the best garden Rose for general planting in the world.

It is always blooming, whether it is growing for us or growing for you. The flowers are beautiful beyond description, immense in size, deep, double and grandly formed. It is hardy and vigorous everywhere, but winter protection in the north always helps.

The "Charles Dingee Rose" is the result of cross-breeding between **Hermosa**, that grand old hardy pink variety, and **White Maman Cochet**, perhaps the greatest of all white garden Roses—a superb parentage, which insures its offspring every point of excellence.

We have had it growing and blooming in all its glory in a temperature very little above freezing. Growing to a height of 2 to 3 feet. Charles Dingee blooms continuously, producing immense, deep, double, grandly formed flowers on long, stiff, erect stems; both in bud and bloom their beauty is nothing short of superb, practically impossible to describe because of the delicate blending of colors—rose tints in the centers of the flower, gradually shading off into pale blush creamy white, a color effect which is both entirely new and distinct, exquisitely beautiful.

David O. Dodd

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### A Glorious New Bush Rose

A new crimson bush rose destined to supersede all other crimson roses such as *Etoile de Holland*, *Hawthorn Crimson* and similar varieties. A magnificent rich crimson, flushed scarlet, with superbly formed buds, carried erect and opening into immense beautifully shaped flowers. Very free flowering; growth bushy and upright; hardy. A splendid crimson rose with no faults.

**Prices Charles Dingee and David O. Dodd:** First size, 1-yr. plants 25c each, 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 80c each, \$8.00 per doz. for one or both varieties. 6 at doz. rate, by express. See parcel post charges, page 3.



# Amazingly Low Prices

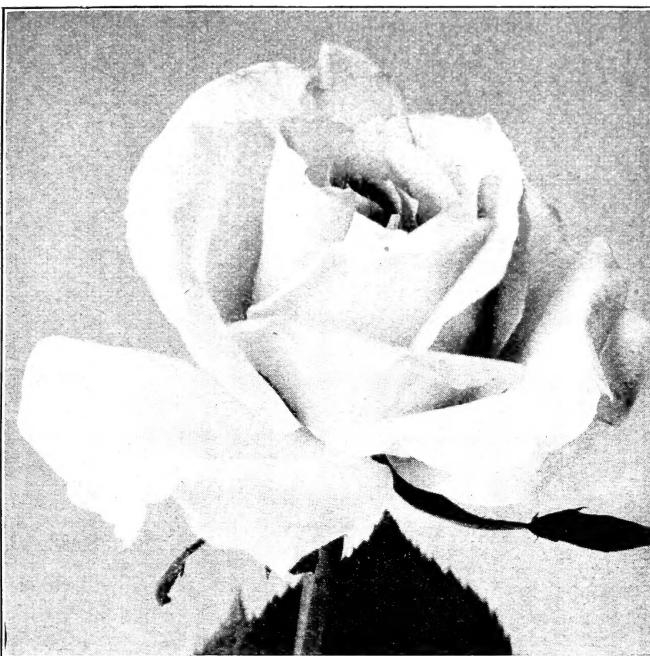
## Dormant 2-Year Old De Luxe Dingee Field-Grown Roses

Extra Heavy, Home Grown Bushes for Early Spring Planting.  
Quick Blooming.

Complete Cultural Instructions With Every Order. Also Free Upon Request

In this book is offered the finest collection of dormant field-grown roses in America, grown by us here in our own nursery. They will positively bloom this year and continuously. We guarantee them to be absolutely satisfactory to you or money back. You will find no such prices elsewhere, no better plants, and indeed few as good. Then, why pay more?

These dormant field-grown roses must be planted as soon as the ground can be dug—the earlier the better; cold weather will not hurt them. Plant whenever they can be put in the ground. Not available after May 1st. In warm climates plant during our winter months. These are beautiful plants, strong, sturdy fibrous roots; low prices. Satisfaction guaranteed; shipping charges paid. Order liberally and early. These "De Luxe Dingee" Super Rose Plants are in limited supply. Order early, please. It's important.



Gorgeous Yellow Rose, "Joanna Hill"

All Roses in this book are hardy, free-blooming, (this year) bush type, except where noted nearly all are Hybrid Teas. (H.T.) Absolutely the best for amateurs. We pay all shipping charges on these dormant field-grown Roses anywhere in U. S. A. Satisfaction guaranteed.

### Joanna Hill

(H. T.)—New and sensational. Long, handsome bud, deep full bloom, beautiful shade of creamy yellow flushed with orange at base of petals. Wonderful grower, making a magnificent bush. Blooms throughout the entire season. Foliage is good and free from disease.

**REV. F. PAGE ROBERTS (H. T.)—**  
Copper-red buds of exquisite form, opening to rich Indian yellow inside with the outside petals strongly marked apricot and carmine. Rich tea fragrance. Strong growth, branching habit with healthy disease and insect resistant foliage. An outstanding variety.

**Present Prices: \$1.00 Each for 1 to 5 Bushes; 90c Each for 6 or More—Parcel Post Prepaid. (Former Price, \$1.50 each)**

**GAIETY (H. T.)**—One of the great fancy colored Roses. An exceptionally strong grower. Foliage a light green, free from all diseases. Produces quantities of large round camillea-like flowers of an extraordinary combination of pink, red, golden yellow, Indian red and brown. Colors vary with the season, increasing in beauty every day. Startling beauty.

**DAME EDITH HELEN. (H. T.)—**  
The color is a brilliant yet soft clear pink. Full blooms delightfully sweet scented. Strong vigorous grower; shapely buds, long, pointed, opening full and double and almost a perfect flower. Most distinct and really magnificent.

## THE DINGEE & CONARD COMPANY

WEST GROVE, PENNA.

Established 1850

Mrs. Charles Dingee, Pres.

The Oldest and Leading Rose Growers in America

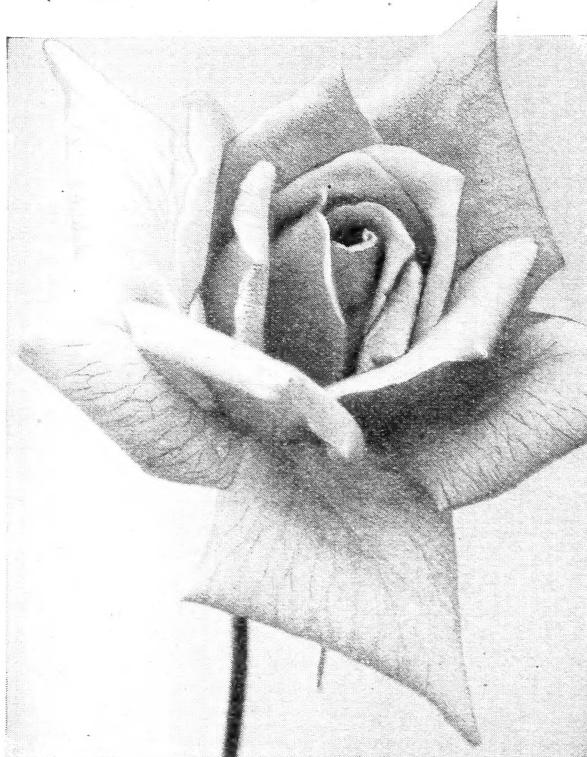
P. J. Lynch, Treas.

J. D. Headly, Sec. and Gen. Man.

# Dormant 2-Year-Old Field-Grown Rose Bushes

Hardy Everblooming Varieties for Early Spring Planting

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(Former Price \$1.00 each)



Our Great New Rose, "Garden Gem"

**BETTY UPRICHARD.** (H. T.)—Copper-red buds opening to semi-double flowers of above average size, brilliant orange. Carmine on outer surface of petals showing light salmon reflexes. Spicy fragrance. Strong grower, persistent bloomer.

**ETOILE DE HOLLAND.** (H. T.)—Flower bright, dark red, of medium size, fairly full; deliciously perfumed. Growth vigorous, upright.

**F. R. PATZER.** (H. T.)—Of striking appearance, a creamy-buff, reverse of petals delicate warm pink, expanding into a light orange pink, a charming combination. Strong, vigorous grower.

**WELLESLEY.** (H. T.)—A most magnificent garden rose, a beautiful shade of pink; vigorous, healthy grower; remarkably free-flowering.

**AMERICAN LEGION.** (H. T.)—Color a pleasing shade of cerise red. Well formed buds, on long stems, fine for cutting. Heavy, disease resistant foliage. Strong grower, free bloomer.

## Garden Gem

(H. T.)—A remarkable new bush rose introduced and for sale only by us. Has no disease of any kind. Not many roses of recent origin are so fortunate. Has wonderfully clean, heavy foliage.

Its parentage is noteworthy. "Mrs. E. T. Stotesbury"—a great American rose, and "America," another great American (Hill) production. There is a royal parentage for you and this is a royal rose, fit to wear the diadem that belongs to the Queen of Beauty.

A marvelously strong, healthy grower under the most adverse conditions, thriving even in extreme heat—just a grand grower. As already stated there is no rose to compare with it in absolutely healthy growth and hardy everywhere. Of course, it is but natural that it should be a magnificent bloomer, continuously bearing its beautiful, satiny pink flowers of lovely form on strong erect

stems, making it one of the greatest roses, new or old, for garden cultivation and for cutting. A great rose for the amateur.

**ETOILE DE FRANCE.** (H. T.)—Great favorite. Strong, upright bush, blooming constantly, producing large, massive, deep, full cup-formed flowers of clear red or velvety crimson.

**LADY ASHTOWN.** (H. T.)—Satiny buds and blooms of deep shining pink with yellow glow at base of petals. High center, very double and quite fragrant. Still a great rose.

**LADY ALICE STANLEY.** (H. T.)—Massive buds and blooms, fully double and very sweet, outside petals coral-rose, inside pale flesh pink. Enormous in size and produced freely.

**DUCHESS OF WELLINGTON.** (H. T.)—The blooms are very large, full and perfectly formed, with high-pointed center. Very sweetly perfumed. The color, which is very novel, is a dainty, clear rose-madder.

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## Talisman

There seems to be no two descriptions alike for this sensational and much in demand rose. We have found it a wonderful grower and a gorgeous bloomer. Buds are large and strikingly handsome, a combination of orange yellow, red and crimson, a combination that can't be described. Superb in early spring and in the late fall.

**MRS. F. R. PIERSON**—(H. T.)—As large as American Beauty, even at its best. Fine, heavy, dark foliage, strong stems, very fragrant. Color hard to describe, cardinal-red or crimson. Immense. Beautiful.

**PREMIER**. (H. T.) — The blooms are immense, often measuring 5 and 6 inches across; buds long, full and pointed. Color rich, deep, rose-pink, without shadings. Borne singly on stiff almost thornless stems. Fine disease resistant foliage.

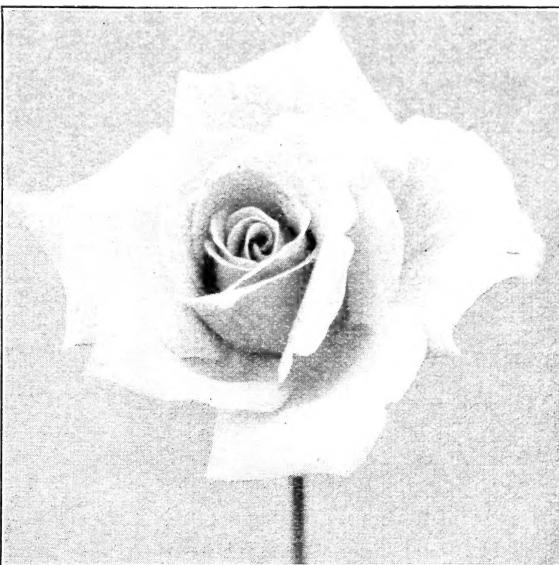
**MME. GREGOIRE STAECHELIN**—New climbing rose from Spain. Now world famous. Long pointed buds of crimson at first, then as the blooms expand show splashes of carmine, with pearl pink inside. Strong vigorous climbing habit. Hardy everywhere.

**KOOTENAY**. (H. T.)—Buds long and pointed, of exquisite form, opening to large rounded flowers, very full and double. Color creamy white, with shading of flesh colors towards the center. Foliage very heavy, unaffected by disease, and little troubled with insects. Vigorous erect bush.

**TEMPLAR**. (H. T.)—Bud and bloom of good size. Double, very lasting. Vigorous, upright, continuous bloomer. Clear bright red. Highly scented.

**MRS. HENRY MORSE**. (H. T.)—Two contrasting tones of pink with an underlying yellow glow, double high centered. Plant tall and branching.

**JONKHEER J. L. MOCK** (H. T.)—Buds and flowers immense and of very fine form, borne on long, stiff stems. Color clear imperial pink, reflexed petals of a lighter shade. Strong, tall grower, at its best in heat, when it blooms to wonderful perfection.



Fancy Colored Rose, "Talisman"

**PADRE**. (H. T.)—Color brilliant coppery scarlet flushed yellow at base of petals. Beautiful long buds on long stiff stems, splendid cutting variety. Open flower semi-double.

**LAURENT CARLE**. (H. T.)—A beautiful Rose, with extra large, handsomely formed, rich velvety carmine buds and flowers. Phenomenally strong, robust grower, continually in bloom.

**SUNBURST**. (H. T.)—Giant yellow, rose vigorous, healthy grower. Reddish-bronze foliage. Superb orange copper or golden orange, with a deep orange center. Very fragrant.

**LADY URSULA**. (H. T.)—An old standby. Bush strong; continuously produces its well shaped, pale pink blooms. Unsurpassed where a mass of flowers is desired all the time.

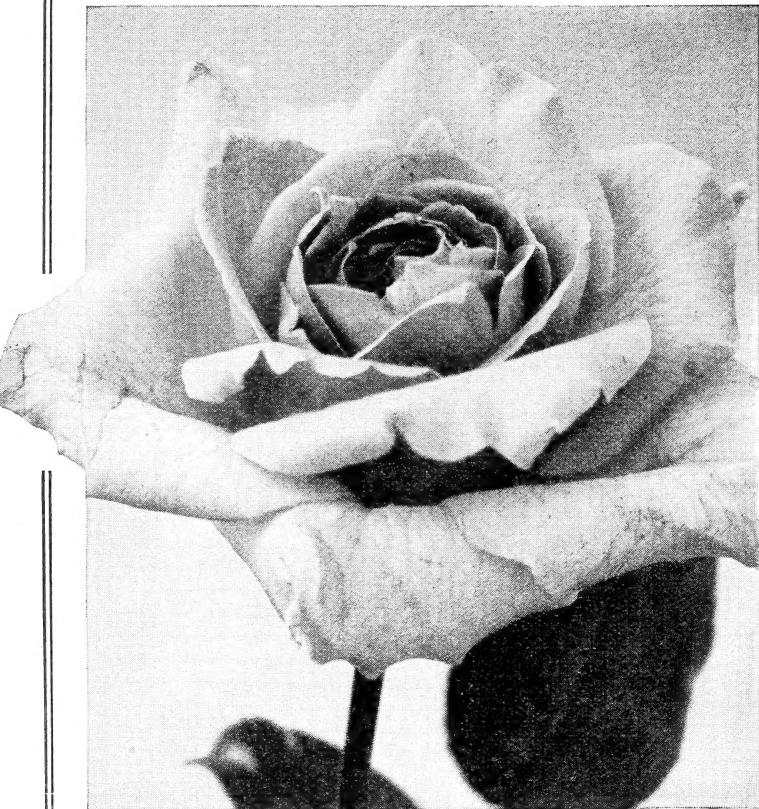
**JACOTTE**—Handsome hardy climber. Color deep coppery yellow, tinted coppery red. Double flowers borne several together on long stems. Very fragrant. Strong profusely blooming plant.

**MRS. A. R. WADDELL**. (H. T.)—The flowers are of the largest size and of perfect form. The coloring is most brilliant in effect, a rosy-scarlet, opening rosy-salmon, with reverse of petals rosy-scarlet. The bush is a sturdy, erect and vigorous grower.

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A Gorgeous Newcomer, "Rose Hill"

**IMPERIAL POTENTATE.** (H. T.)—Shining rose pink, shaded lighter on reverse of petals. Vigorous grower of free flowering habit.

**WHITE KILLARNEY.** (H. T.)—This offspring of the Pink Killarney is one of the most exquisite white rose. Long, full pointed buds and full-open flower most refined and beautiful in form and texture. Very free flowering.

**EDEL.** (H. T.)—We consider this the best pure white Rose for outdoors. Strong grower, magnificent full, double blooms. Upright grower, free flowering. Sweetly fragrant.

**MISS WILMOT.** (H. T.)—Enormous perfectly formed white flowers with an occasional touch of cream or faint pink. An almost perfect white rose. A most persistent bloomer. This variety furnished in two-year-old plants only.

## Rose Hill

(H.T.)—Offspring of Columbia, but superior. Darker than Columbia, larger blooms, better grower. Buds and blooms perfect in color and superbly formed, opening into a perfect bloom of immense size. Splendid grower, free from disease, producing an abundance of flowers the entire season. Color a pure rose pink of charming brilliancy which does not lighten. Gloriously beautiful.

## SOUV. DE CLAUDIUS PERNET

(Pernetiana) Clear, deep yellow, entirely free from orange shades as found in Sunburst, Mrs. Aaron Ward, etc. Foliage bright shining green, as if it were varnished. Growth erect, strong and sturdy. Free flowering. Is hardy everywhere. A great rose. Very popular.

**MRS. A. R. BARRACLOUGH.** (H. T.)—Sparkling carmine pink passing to yellow at base of the petals. Does not fade as the flower ages but appears to become brighter. Long perfect bud developing into a full double flower of large size, very fragrant.

**PINK KILLARNEY.** (H. T.)—Strong upright, with beautiful foliage, free-blooming, bearing immense long pointed buds and massive flowers on big, heavy shoots. Color deep, brilliant, sparkling, shell-pink.

**MRS. AARON WARD.** (H. T.)—Most exquisite buds of golden buff or fawn, opening to full, double, well formed flowers of pinkish fawn, with an agreeable fragrance. Plant dwarf and spreading covered with heavy foliage that is immune from disease and insect pests and always in bloom.

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## Crimson

### Beauty

(H. T.)—“Dingee” introduction, When considering an appropriate name for this gorgeous, new bush rose the proper name finally suggested itself, as the result of its parentage—the great (American) “Hoosier Beauty” crossed with “Crimson Champion,” and there you have the name—“Crimson Beauty.”

This splendid new variety has health in abundance, grows clean, strong and sturdy. Crimson flowers, which have much of the form of “Gruss an Teplitz,” throughout the growing season, so that the bush is literally covered early and late. Very hardy. A better rose, we think, than “Gruss an Teplitz.”



Our New Rose, “Crimson Beauty”—A “Dingee” Introduction

## Radiance

The Standard Garden Rose of America

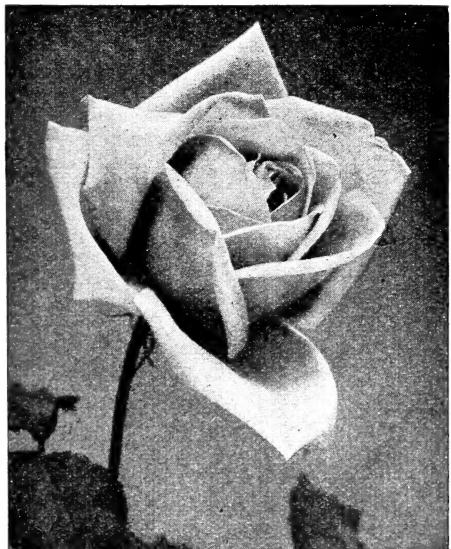
(H. T.)—Because of its vigorous, heavy growth, its great abundance of bloom, easy growth, requiring little attention, it is considered as one of the twelve best roses now known. Color a solid rose-pink, with lighter tints and reflections. Long, heavy stems, bearing large, beautiful buds, which open slowly into globular, somewhat loosely formed, fairly double flowers. One of the hardiest of roses, and will survive very severe winters.

**SIR DAVID DAVIS.** (H. T.)—Pointed buds and high centered flowers of a glowing crimson and very fragrant. Healthy grower and free bloomer.

**PAX LABOR.** (H. T.)—Orange gold bud opening into a very double pale yellow bloom, deepening toward the center. Vigorous erect grower and free bloomer. One of the best of the color.

**SCOUV. DE GEORGES PERNET.** (H. T.)—Brick-red buds, opening to an orange-pink bloom of immense size, very double. An unusually beautiful rose. Stocky, free blooming. Fragrant.

**JOHN RUSSELL.** (H. T.)—Large buds and immense crimson flowers of the old-time globular type and one of the handsomest red roses.

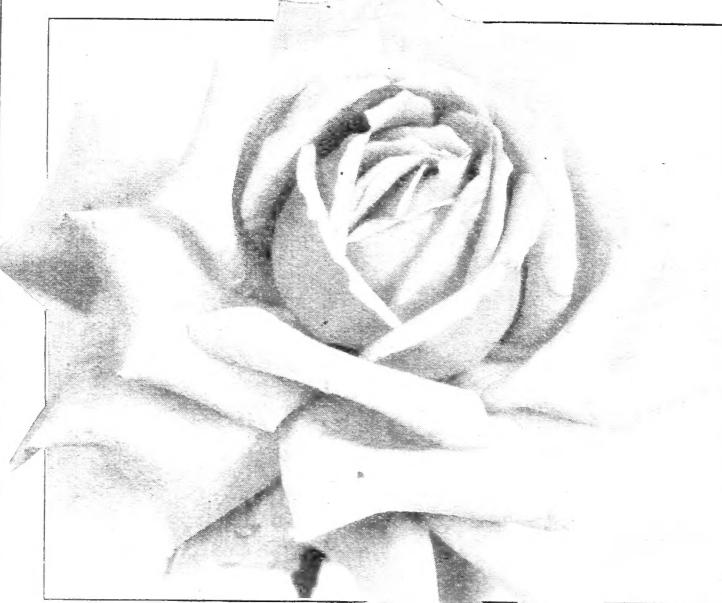


“Radiance”, World-Famous

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A Superb Scarlet Rose, "Francis Scott Key"

**SILVER COLUMBIA**—Color clear, deep silver pink, deepening towards the center. Flowers larger than Columbia. Magnificently formed on long, strong stems; excellent for cutting.

**LORD CHARLEMONT.** (H. T.)—Flowers clear crimson, deepening to carmine crimson with almost black shadings, perfectly shaped, long pointed buds, large and full sweetly scented flowers. Free-growing and free-flowering, a splendid rose of exceptional richness and beauty.

**MME. BUTTERFLY.** (H. T.)—All the color tones of Ophelia are intensified, making it a symphony of bright pink, apricot and gold. The tight buds are a lovely shade of Indian oak, yellow at the base; the opening flowers are perfect in form and texture, clear and brilliant in color. Fragrance delicious.

**LADY HILLINGDON.** (Tea)—Apricot yellow shaded to orange on the outer edge of the petals, becoming deeper and more intense toward the center of the bloom. Best of its color.

**SENSATION.** (H. T.)—Buds long and pointed, opening full and double and retaining its color in the open flower. Entrancing shade of velvety crimson.

## Francis Scott Key

(See Front Cover)

(H. T.)—This American rose named in honor of the author of our national anthem, is a credit to its name. immensely popular because of its glowing colors, remarkable size, fullness, and perfection of form. The color is a rich, glowing scarlet, with darker shadings, becoming darker as the flower ages. A continuous bloomer, producing its immense blooms on stout stems in great profusion.

The growth is excellent and the foliage heavy, little troubled with disease. Very hardy. All sections of the country reports excellent results with this remarkable rose.

**AMELIA GUDE.** (H. T.)—Charming rose, with its dainty buds, and blooms of exquisite form. This is a favorite with us. The colors of yellow-rose, deepening towards the center to peach yellow, are exceedingly soft, and pleasing. Strong growing, with healthy foliage; blooms the season through.

**THE GENERAL.** (H. T.)—A high priced leader among red roses because of its beauty of color, form and delightful fragrance. Bush dwarf but very vigorous and free blooming, being almost continuously a solid mass of blooms of blood red.

**GRUSS AN TEPLITZ.** (H. T.)—Fiery crimson, shaded dark velvety sheen. Flowers large and handsome, produced in continuous profusion. Very vigorous, tall pillar-like grower.

**VILLE DE PARIS.** (H. T.)—Round buds of clear yellow and big globular blooms of the same shade, untouched by any other color. One of the outstanding yellow roses. In form very much like the popular "Radiance."

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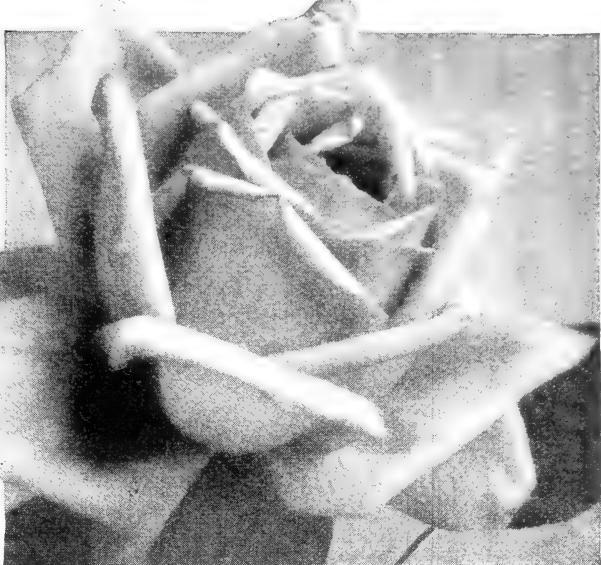
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## Briarcliff

(H. T.)—One of the grandest roses we have ever seen. Among all the roses that have come to us in 75 years of rose growing. This strong statement is fully warranted by the beautifully formed, long solid buds not too pointed, opening into the most immense flowers you have ever seen, enormous, full and double, a brilliant rose pink. A splendid grower, free from diseases such as black spot and mildew. Flowers produced in a great abundance the entire season, on long stiff stems, making it an ideal rose for cutting.

**RAPTURE.** (H. T.)—An improved Mme. Butterfly. Better and more lasting. Has more petals, in autumn the tints of yellow, pink and coral on a cream background are glorious.

**GEN. ARNOLD JANSSEN.** (H. T.)—Has all the good qualities of an outdoor rose. Color, deep glowing carmine. Free bloomer. Buds long, pointed on stiff stems.



"Briarcliff"—A Most Superb New Garden Rose

## Red Radiance

(H. T.)—Similar to "Radiance" and equally satisfactory. Large, globular, cupped blooms, of strong, clear red, with no trace of any other color. An exceptionally vigorous grower, sending forth heavy canes, with healthy foliage. Very liberal in producing blooms, it cannot be surpassed as a red garden rose. Extremely hardy. Good everywhere.

**RHEA REID.** (H. T.)—As an all round garden rose has no superior, famed for its strong constitution and its ability to withstand the ravages of disease and insects. Color a vivid scarlet crimson. Flowers are marvels of beauty, large, bold and of splendid substance. Strong, sturdy, vigorous grower.

**GENERAL MACARTHUR.** (H. T.)—Of strong, vigorous, healthy growth branching freely, it produces its wonderful blooms profusely from May until October, of full scarlet crimson. Well shaped and wondrously fragrant. Stands among the upper dozen.

**HADLEY.** (H. T.)—Color deep velvety crimson, retaining its brilliancy at all seasons. Buds and gorgeous flowers are beautiful, full and double. Strong grower. Still keeps its place among the great roses.



The Ever Popular "Red Radiance"

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The Grand White Rose, "Frau Karl Druschki"

### Rugosa Roses

**F. J. GROOTENDORST**—This is a new type of Rose which might properly be called a Rugosa Baby Rambler, it being a cross between Rugosa and the crimson Baby Rambler. Imagine a shrub-like Rugosa Rose covered with trusses of crimson Baby Rambler Roses and you will have a fair conception of this new hybrid variety.

**CONRAD FERDINAND MEYER**—Strong grower; perfectly hardy; flowers very large; well filled. Silver rose. Very fragrant.

### Hybrid Perpetual Roses

Known as "June Roses," are among the most famous. Most of the varieties were introduced years ago—the best known is General Jacqueminot, which was brought out in 1852—but time has not lessened their popularity.

**FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI**—This brilliant white type Rose has become renowned as the very highest type of its class and the best snow white Rose ever introduced.

**PAUL NEYRON**—The flowers are immense; probably the largest and finest Rose; bright, shining pink, clear and beautiful, very double and full.

**ANNE DE DIESBACH** (Glory of Paris)—Most lovely brilliant carmine, long pointed buds, and large, finely formed, compact flowers.

**GENERAL JACQUEMINOT**

—Bright shining crimson rich and velvety; exceedingly brilliant and handsome; makes magnificent buds and flowers.

**MARSHALL P. WILDER**—Flowers large, semi-globular, full and of good substance; bright scarlet-crimson, richly shaded with maroon.

**CHARLES WOOD**—Flowers extra large, double, full and quite fragrant; bright fiery scarlet, passing to fine, rosy crimson, shaded with maroon.

**VICK'S CAPRICE**—Flowers large and slightly cup-shaped, but full and deep; petals thick and lasting, having the ground color clear, satiny pink, distinctly striped and dashed with white and bright carmine.

### 6 Surplus Collection of 2-Year-Old Dormant Field-Grown Rose Bushes, \$3.00 Postpaid, Our Selection.

In growing thousands of Roses each season we are sure to have a surplus of some varieties as we cannot tell what varieties will sell best. In order to dispose of such we are making this SPECIAL OFFER of 6 of these Dormant Field-Grown 2-year-old Rose Bushes for \$3.00, postpaid, our selection. About one-half what they are worth. These are not second size or culls, but No. 1, 2-year-old plants of splendid sorts, all bush roses. No climbers. Each properly labeled and sent to you prepaid for \$3.00.

### SPECIAL OFFER OF DORMANT FIELD-GROWN ROSES

2 Year Old Roses; 10 for \$6.50 Postpaid

**SPECIALLY PREPARED FOR EARLY SPRING PLANTING**

**Radiance**—One of the best outdoor Roses. Color, carmine rose.

**Francis Scott Key**—The finest double red outdoor Rose.

**Red Radiance**—A remarkable rose. Splendid even shade of clear red.

**Gruss an Teplitz**—Color, fiery crimson, shaded with a dark velvety sheen.

**Ville de Paris**—Clear golden yellow.

**Briarcliff**—Pure rose pink.

**Mme. Butterfly**—Buds a lovely shade of Indian Oak with a yellow tint at base.

**Mrs. Henry Morse**—Two tones of pink with an underlying yellow glow.

**Edel**—Greatest of pure white roses.

**Rev. F. Page Roberts**—Copper-red buds of exquisite form opening to a rich Indian yellow inside with outside petals marked apricot and carmine.

Order as the "Radiance Collection D"

THE DINGEE & CONARD CO., WEST GROVE, PA.

# DINGEE OWN-ROOT POT-GROWN ROSES

*America's Leading Roses  
Since 1850*

*New Low Prices  
for 1932*

CHARLES DINGEE  
Founder of  
The Dingee & Conard  
Company  
Established 1850

Ever since 1850, our beginning, we have produced millions of DINGEE OWN-ROOT POT-GROWN ROSE BUSHES. We are Rose specialists. That ours are the best rose bushes for the beginner is proven beyond doubt, first, because we would not continue to be as we are, the oldest rose growing concern in America, and lastly, because thousands upon thousands of unsolicited letters come to us continuously from satisfied patrons all over the world, telling us of their success. Truth, genuine merit, the golden rule are still cardinal virtues. Our long career in business is not an accident. Hundreds of firms have come and gone during our lifetime in the third generation here on the same spot, growing these great own-root roses. We are going forward just as we did in the days when Lincoln and Douglas were holding their immortal debates. Long experience and new equipment are yours. Low prices naturally follow.

Roses, at least our roses, are being planted more and more every year because of their ease of culture, their certain success, the beauty and value they add to one's home, and the joy they give to all.

Out of the abundance of our experience, we know how to grow healthy roses. That is the important point for your consideration; without health the way is not so easy. With these famous Dingee pot-grown own-root rose bushes, failure is practically impossible if you will but provide ordinary good garden soil, a sunny place, and follow the simple instructions given in this book. The idea that roses can't be grown by anybody, anywhere, is utterly foolish. The bulk of our roses go into modest homes. Millions of people have succeeded with them and if you have any doubt about having roses blooming in abundance, lay such doubts aside and plant a few of these famous Dingee pot-grown own-root roses. We promise to make you a rose enthusiast for all time.

This year prices are lower than heretofore, but the quality is better than ever. No matter where you live in the U. S. A., we guarantee satisfaction and safe arrival of all shipments. Our integrity and good name is your best guarantee.

Plant DINGEE OWN-ROOT POT-GROWN ROSE PLANTS, the best for the amateur and beginner, for their health, permanency, and the genuine satisfaction they give.

## Terms, Guarantee and How We Ship

### TERMS

Our terms are cash with order. You can open an account or we will ship Parcel Post or Express, C. O. D. Kindly give bank reference. Money may be sent at our risk by Post Office Order, Express Money Order, Bank Draft, Personal Check, Money in Registered Letter. Stamps accepted for less than \$1.00.

### OUR GUARANTEE

We guarantee safe arrival of goods anywhere in U. S. A. proper. During the busy season there are delays in filling orders and answering letters. At such times we ask your indulgence.

We make mistakes; they are cheerfully corrected. It sometimes happens that a certain variety will run short, and in such cases we reserve the right to substitute another of the same color and of equal, if not better, value unless instructed to the contrary. We strive to have all plants true to name but we do not guarantee it.

**Complaints**—When the goods reach you, if there is any complaint it must be made within ten days, otherwise we cannot entertain it. After goods are delivered in satisfactory condition our responsibility ceases.

### HOW WE SHIP

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Abbreviations Used: Tea, Everblooming Teas; H.T., Hybrid Teas; B.C. Bourbon, Bengal and China; H.P., Hardy Hybrid Perpetuals; C.T., Climbing Tea; C.N., Climbing Noisette; H.C., Hardy Climbing; M., Moss; T.P., Tea Polyantha; P., Polyantha, or Fairly; Rug., Rugosa; W. Wichuraiana or Memorial; Rug., Hybrid Rugosa; C.H.T., Climbing Hybrid Teas; N. Noisette.

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Amelia Gude	H.T.	25	75	10		Gen. Jacqueminot	H.P.	25	75	19		Miller	H.T.	25	75	16	
American Legion	H.T.	25	75	16		General Mac Arthur	H.T.	25	75	16		New Century	Rug.	20	65	21	
American Pillar	H.C.	20	70	20		George Elger	P.	20	75	18		Ophelia	H.T.	25	75	13	
Anna de Diesbach	H.P.	25	75	19		Grace N. Crowell	H.T.	30	90	8		Oriens	P.	20	75	18	
Aunt Harriet	H.C.	20	70	19		Green Rose	B.C.	25	75	19		Padre	H.T.	25	75	11	
Aviateur Bleriot	H.C.	20	70	20		Gruss an Aachen	P.	20	75	18		Paul Neyron	H.P.	25	75	19	
Baby Doll	P.	20	75	18		Gruss an Teplitz	H.T.	25	75	16		Paul's Scarlet Cl.	H.C.	20	70	20	
Baby Tausendschön	P.	20	75	18		Hadley	H.T.	25	75	16		Pax Labor	H.T.				Circular
Bess Lovett	H.C.	20	70	20		Helen Gould	H.T.	25	75	34		Perle Von Godesberg					
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Bon Silene	Tea	20	75	17		Ivory	H.C.	20	70	20		President Taft	H.T.	25	75	14	
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Catherine Mermet	Tea	20	75	17		John Russell	H.T.		Circular			Red Dorothy Perkins					
Chaplins Pink Cl.	H.C.	30	90	8		Jon. J. L. Mock	H.T.	25	75	14			H.C.	20	70	20	
Charles Dingee	Tea	30	80	2		Kaiserin A. Victoria	H.T.	25	75	13		Red Maman Cochet	H.T.	25	75	34	
Christine Wright	H.C.	20	70	20		Keystone	H.C.	20	70	20		Red Radiance	H.T.	25	75	13	
City of Little Rock	H.T.	25	75	12		Killarney Pink	H.T.	25	75	17		Rev. F. Page Roberts	H.T.	Circular			
Cl. Amer. Beauty	H.C.	20	70	19		Kootenay	H.T.	25	75	16		Rhea Reid	H.T.	25	75	11	
Cl. Gruss an Teplitz	C.H.T.	25	75	21		Lady Alice Stanley	H.T.	25	75	14		Sensation	H. T.		Circular		
Cl. Lady Ashtown	C.H.T.	25	75	21		Lady Ashtown	H.T.	25	75	11		Salmon Spray	H.T.	25	75	14	
Cl. Lady Hillington	C.T.	50	150	21		Lady Hillingdon	H.T.	20	75	18		Silver Columbia	H.T.	25	75	15	
Cl. Pink Maman Cochet	C.T.	25	75	21		Lady Plymouth	H.T.	20	75	18		Silver Moon	H.C.	20	70	20	
Cl. Radiance	C.H.T.	25	75	21		Lafayette	H.T.	20	75	18		Sir David Davis H. T.		Circular			
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Commonwealth	H.T.	25	75	14		Mad. Caroline Testout	H.T.	25	75	14		Souv. de Pierre					
Com. d. Cassagne	H.T.	25	75	15		Mad. Charles Wood	H.P.	25	75	19		Notting	T.	20	75	18	
Conrad F. Meyer	Rug.	20	65	21		Mad. Franciscia Kruger	T.	20	75	18		Sunburst	H.T.	25	75	13	
Crimson Beauty	H.T.	25	75	12		Mad. Jules Grolez	H.T.	25	75	12		Talisman	H.T.	30	90	9	
Crimson Maman Cochet	Tea	25	75	34		Mad. Masson	H.P.	25	75	19		Tausendschön	H.C.	20	70	20	
Crusader	H.T.	25	75	13		Mad. Segond Weber	H.T.	25	75	13		Templar	H.T.	25	75	16	
Dame Edith Helen	H.T.		Circular			Mad. Marchal Niel	C.T.	25	75	21		The Bride	T.	20	75	17	
David O. Dodd	H.T.	30	80	2		Mad. Masson	H.P.	25	75	19		The General	H.T.		Circular		
Dean Hole	H.T.	25	75	14		Mad. Marshall P. Wilder	H.P.	25	75	19		Thousand Beauties	H.C.	20	70	20	
Dorothy Perkins	H.C.	20	70	20		Mad. Meteor	H.T.	25	75	16		Tip Top	P.	20	75	18	
Dr. Van Fleet	H.C.	20	70	20		Miss Wilmott	H.T.		Circular			Ursula	H.T.		Circular		
Dr. Robert Huey	H.C.	20	70	20		Miss C. E. Van						Veilchenblau	H.C.	20	70	20	
Duchess of Wellington	H.T.	Circular				Rossem	H.T.	30	90	9		Vicks Caprice	H.P.	25	75	19	
Edel H. T.	Circular					Mme. Cecile Brunner	P.	20	75	18		Willa de Paris	H.T.		Circular		
E. G. Hill	H.T.	30	90	8		Mme. Jenny Guillemot	H.T.	25	75	17		Violette	H.C.	20	70	20	
Ellen Poulsen	P.	20	75	18		Mrs. Aaron Ward	H.T.	25	75	15		Viridiflora	B.C.	25	75	19	
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# How Our Rose Plants Are Shipped

Grown in large pots or crocks, in full foliage, ready to set right in the ground. Note how they come to you with the soil on the roots, just as taken out of the pots. They keep right on growing and blooming.



A two-year old rose plant in and out of the pot. Showing how the soil remains on the roots ready to put in ground.

Wrapped ready for shipment

## How to Grow "Dingee Roses"

It is of utmost importance that sufficient time and care is given to the planning of a rose garden before ordering the plants. This is true for both formal and informal gardens, and even though it is possible to have only one small bed, the selection of varieties to fill that bed must be done with the aim of having roses that will be best adapted for the purpose in view. If the object is to have a rose garden, or if it is merely to beautify the lawn, the main end is to have a harmonious and pleasing effect from the planting as a whole. This end cannot be attained by indiscriminate planting, but by painstaking planning before any plants are set into the ground.

No enthusiastic rose grower—and every rose grower becomes enthusiastic over the beautiful blooms he gathers all summer long—is ever satisfied with his garden. The garden he has is only the beginning of a larger garden. Therefore, when you start a rose garden make your plan sufficiently elastic so that growth which is bound to come can be cared for and your whole garden develop along symmetrical lines.

Select a place that is well drained or provide drainage with a tile drain and by stones, broken pots, cinders, etc., in the bottom of the bed. Protection by trees, hedges, etc., from the north and west winds is desirable. It should not be where tree roots are so thick as to starve the roses. It should have at least two-thirds of the day's sun tho' some shade is desirable.

The very best soil for roses is a rich clay loam but any good garden soil will grow good roses if fertilized, drained and cultivated.

It is true in rose growing, as in raising children, that the best results come if the greatest pains are taken. Roses need plenty of sunshine and not too much water, and they must have food to produce their beautiful

blooms. They ought to be planted with a foot and a half or so of ground each way and in beds narrow enough so that one can cut the blooms without being entangled in the briars. If, however, too much food or fertilizer is given roses, the roots will not grow so well nor be so strong as if a moderate amount of fertilizer is used.

## Preparation

If the location where you wish to plant them is moderately drained or water does not stand for days, or dig a small hole 12 inches deep and fill with water, if the water disappears in a short time the situation is all right, and you can simply spade the soil up to a depth of about 10 inches mixing it with ordinary well rotted manure of any kind, returning it to the hole or bed and plant roses as directed below. If, however, the soil is heavy clay and water does not disappear when you fill the hole, beds may be made as follows:

Dig the bed about 20 inches deep. A good plan is to put the top spadeful of soil on one side of the bed and the bottom spadeful on the other. For the bottom of the bed put in drainage material if necessary. Replace the top soil to the bottom of the bed and the lower soil to the top of the bed. While replacing mix in one-third well rotted cow manure. If you cannot possibly get cow manure, bone meal at the rate of 2 lbs. to the square yard is good. Use other manure or fertilizers carefully as they are apt to burn the roots. Manure and fertilizers must be well mixed in the soil. Work the soil fine and tramp it down very firmly. Have the surface of the bed an inch above the surrounding soil.

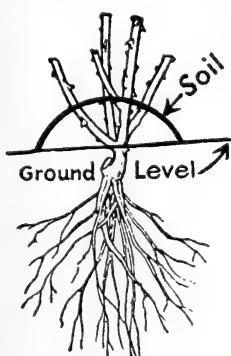


Fig. 1

## Planting

Plant the roses just as soon as possible. **THE ROOTS MUST BE KEPT COVERED AND DAMP.** Bury them in a trench and cover the tops with straw or burlap if you cannot plant at once. **DRY ROOTS ARE DEAD ROOTS.**

The roses are properly pruned when sent and need no further pruning at planting time.

If the plants are dormant, dig a large hole so you can spread the roots in all directions. Plant (where top and roots are joined, see Fig. 1), about two inches below the surface. Use your fingers and work the soil around every root and tramp till all is very solid. (See Fig. 3). But if you receive potted plants, plant them with the soil left on the roots as received. Soak the bed thoroughly.

Then heap loose soil about 6 inches above ground level (see Fig. 1) to protect from the sun and wind and leave till the roses start to grow; then level it off.

Plant Teas and Hybrid Teas from 12 to 16 inches apart, Hybrid Perpetuals, 2½ to 3 feet and Climbers about 6 feet apart.

## Cultivation

Cultivate top soil about 2 inches deep every week or after every hard rain. Do not cultivate when wet. This may be discontinued after the blooms come, when a good mulching of Peat Moss, cow manure, tobacco stems, buckwheat hulls, are left around the bushes the balance of the season. In dry weather water thoroughly at least once a week, and in the morning.

## Fertilizing

Roses appreciate plenty of good food.

This is a question we are frequently requested to answer. Cow manure is generally preferred, and can be used in fresh condition. Horse manure when new is very heating and should not be used while in this condition, except as a winter mulch. Hog, sheep and chicken manure are also very helpful. The last two, however, should be used sparingly. Ground bone is beneficial, but should be secured as fine as possible, and it should be used sparingly. The best method is sprinkling a portion over the bed until the ground is entirely covered, then with the use of a fork it can be dug into the soil and thoroughly mixed. Air slaked lime is also beneficial, about a cupful to a plant scattered on the surface in early spring and mid-summer. A mulching of cow stable manure is very beneficial during the growing season. It helps to retain the moisture during the dry season, as well as a food for the roots.

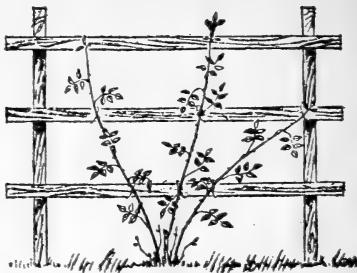


Fig. 4

directions. Sulpho-Tobacco Soap is a very good remedy for green plant lice. Use all sprays in a sprayer which throws a fine mist such as the Auto Spray.

The two principal rose diseases are black spot and mildew. Black spot is indicated by a round black spot on the leaf which soon dies and falls off. Mildew shows itself as a white powder on the leaf which causes it to crinkle and curl. If black spot is neglected it is apt to kill all the leaves on the bush. But the protection is simple and the same for both of these diseases. Mix nine parts of powdered sulphur with one part powdered arsenate of lead and apply once a week and after rains from the beginning of the season till the end. To apply put the dust in a cheese cloth bag or salt sack on the end of a stick and beat with another stick. Or use a dust gun. Bordeaux Mixture is another dust equally as good and used the same way. These preparations we do not offer as they are poisonous and not mailable but can be sent by express or purchased locally. Remove any spotted leaves and burn them.

## Winter Protection

The protection needed varies according to the climate and varieties of roses. After a few hard frosts have stopped the growth throw up a mound of earth about a foot high around the plant. (See Fig. 2.) In cold sections after the ground has frozen put straw or other coarse litter in between the mounds built up around each plant. The tops of the bushes sticking out above mounds may be covered with evergreen boughs. Do not remove this covering until spring has come to stay and remove gradually.

## Insects and Diseases

For insects of all kinds we recommend "Evergreen", a new spray which will kill all types of insects. Use regularly according to

## Pruning

As soon as the winter covering is removed, first cut away all weak stems and leave three or four of the strongest. (See Fig. 2.) Prune these down to at least six inches high with the Hybrid Teas as indicated by the heavy black marks shown in Fig. 2. Hybrid Perpetuals or the June Roses do not need as close pruning. Bushes that are 2 to 4 feet in height should be cut back about 1-2 or 2-3 of their growth. The Polyantha and Baby Ramblers need just the tips cut. Climbing Roses should be pruned after blooming, cutting out all shoots and allow the new ones to develop and to train. (Fig. 4). Keep all weak lower side stems cut away throughout the season. When several buds appear on one stem the smaller buds may be pinched off to make one fine large rose.

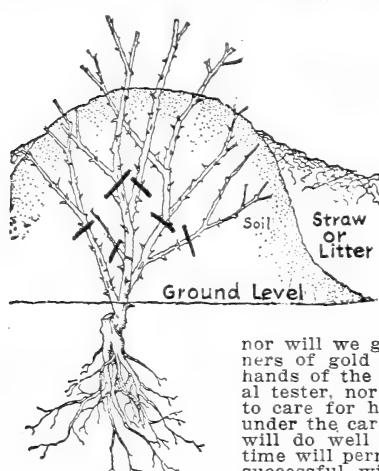


Fig. 2

## Selection of Roses Important

One of the most difficult problems that presents itself to the amateur about to start a rose garden, is the very first that he has to solve, the selection of the best varieties of roses for the purpose for which he intends them. The success he will have with his roses depends very largely on intelligent selection of adaptable varieties. The matter of selection is one that should be left to the purchaser. Many of our customers grow 100 or more different kinds and they find exquisite beauty in each. At the modest price asked for them any one can enjoy many sorts.

The varieties we have selected in each class are those which seem to be the most popular and which have proved to be very satisfactory as regards beauty of bloom, strength of growth and other qualities which the amateur requires. We refrain from describing certain varieties which have not been thoroughly tested,

nor will we give kinds which, although very popular, and perhaps winners of gold medals, have not proved themselves successful in the hands of the average amateur. This is not written for the professional tester, nor the wealthy rose lover who is able to pay someone else to care for his roses, but for the amateur who wishes to grow roses under the care of his own hands and who wants, therefore, roses which will do well with the attention his inexperience or his means or his time will permit. The roses described, then, are those that have proved successful with the average amateur, and are standard varieties obtainable from any reliable rose firm. After one has had a few years' experience he can experiment with the new and expensive kinds that are difficult to grow.

The conditions under which the rose is grown affects to a great extent the color of the bloom and the type of growth. A J. B. Clark in the writer's garden was a deep crimson last summer, but this summer it was a very light pink, so different from what it was last year that one would not recognize it as the same rose. We have noticed Frau Karl Druschki, the pure white variety, bloom a pale pink instead of white.

## The Tea Roses

These are the basis of the everblooming class of roses, having been imported from China into England in the early part of the 19th century. They are the ones known as the Everbloomers. Hardy enough to stand the winters of the North as far as Boston with some slight protection, they need no protection from Washington south. Their growth is somewhat less upright and vigorous than the Hybrid Teas but outrank all classes as to their blooming qualities. The form of flowers varies somewhat from single to double, usually very beautiful and fragrant.

Among the Teas we find the following as the leading varieties:

Charles Dingee, William R. Smith, Lady Hillingdon, Alexander Hill Gray, Souv. de Pierre Notting, Etoile de Lyon, Freiherr Von Marshall, Madame Francisca Kruger, Marie Guillot, Mrs. B. R. Cant, Pink Maman Cochet, White Maman Cochet.

## Hybrid Teas

The most popular type of rose in this country today is the Hybrid Tea. Hardy in almost all sections of this country and Canada. Buds handsome and usually long pointed, opening into magnificent blooms, varying from semi-double to full double. Produced usually on long stiff stems and singly. Fragrance usually predominates, more in some than others. Foliage heavy and seems to resist mildew and black spot. Bloom almost as freely as the Teas.

This class has become the most used for winter forcing. They are also the best for cutting from outdoor plants during the summer.

Among the leading sorts are such as Garden Gem, Crimson Beauty, Gaiety, Rose Hill, Talisman, Joanna Hill, Briarcliff, Radiance, one of the leaders, Red Radiance, Columbia, Silver Columbia, Duchess of Wellington, Francis Scott Key, Rhea Reid, Mme. Butterfly, Mme. Caroline Testout, Lady Alice Stanley, Virginia R. Coxe, Mrs. Aaron Ward, Amelia Gude, Kootenay, the Killarneys, Jonkheer J. L. Mock, Wellesley, Laurente Carle, Kaiserin Augusta Victoria, F. R. Patzer, William Notting, Royal Red, William F. Dreer, Rev. F. Page Roberts.

## Hybrid Perpetuals

### The June Roses of Old Gardens

These are the ones so well remembered as blooming in the gardens of our grandparents many years ago, as they were the only ones obtainable at that time. They bloom as a rule but once, usually during the month of June. Occasionally they will bloom again in the fall. There is some exception such as Frau Karl Druschki or White American Beauty which blooms almost as freely as the Hybrid Teas.

Notable among this class as being extra good are such as Frau Karl Druschki, Geo. Arends, Paul Neyron, J. B. Clark, General Jacqueminot, Gloire Lyonnaise, Prince Camille de Rohan and Ulrich Brunner.

## Rugosas

The Rugosas offered in our catalog are not to be compared to the old Rugosa Rubra and Alba varieties used so extensively as hedges. They bloom only once a year as does the June Rose, but the newer sorts are almost everblooming and produce handsome double blooms. They are extremely hardy and suitable for any place where little attention can be given, such as cemeteries, and parks. Sir Thomas Lipton, the white; Conrad F. Meyer, silver rose; New Century, rosy pink; Magnifica and Grootendorst, red.

## The Polyantha Roses

A distinct species of rose introduced from Japan many years ago. Distinguished by having numerous very small flowers borne in panicle clusters. Dwarf in growth. Free flowering. Suitable for mass effect. The following are the leading varieties: Baby Doll, Mlle. Cecil Brunner, Perle D'Or.

## Dwarf Baby Ramblers

These are a type of Polyantha Rose but more dwarf in habit, 12 to 18 inches. Hardy and suitable for beds or borders along walks, etc. Small blooms in immense clusters. Always blooming. Those offered in catalog are the standard sorts, all good.

## Climbing or Rambling Roses

The varieties listed in our New Guide to Rose Culture as Hardy Climbers are those botanically known as Multiflora Hybrids and Wichuriana Hybrids. There is so little difference between the Ramblers (Multiflora) and the Hardy Climbers (Wichuriana) that it is very difficult for an amateur to detect it.

The Ramblers, such as the old variety of Crimson Rambler, produce many small blooms in clusters, while the climbing roses produce larger blooms and fewer on the stem.

The Climbers are not so susceptible to mildew and disease as the Ramblers, therefore much to be preferred. Some of the Hardy Climbers resemble the Ramblers so closely that any one wanting them will find a great improvement in such Climbers as Excelsa, Tausendschon, Aunt Harriett.

Climbing Roses should all have some support such as a pergola or arch. A wire fence where convenient may be utilized with splendid effect. They also make a good hedge using Excelsa, Tausendschon, Dorothy Perkins, Keystone, or Aunt Harriett.

For pillars, roses like Paul's Scarlet, Birdie Blye, Dr. Huey, Mary Lovett, Climbing American Beauty are good. They may also be used as individual specimens by pruning to a shape and size desired. For good climbing roses for use anywhere: Dorothy Perkins, Climbing American Beauty, Christine Wright, Mary Wallace, Dr. Van Fleet, American Pillar, Silver Moon, Tausendschon.

Where less growth and more bloom is desired we recommend the Climbing Hybrid Teas. They produce the fine blooms of the bush Hybrid Tea, but are fairly good climbing roses. They make a gorgeous sight at the natural blooming period and if pruned will bloom again, but not so profusely as at first. Most of them are hardy enough to stand moderate winters with little damage.

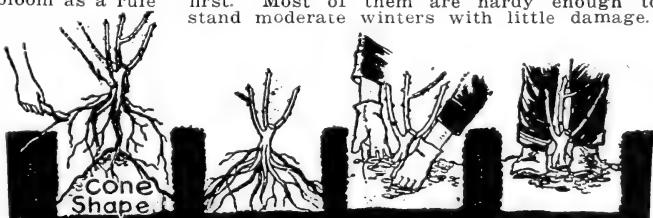


Fig. 8.

Essential points to consider when planting. The cone of earth formed in hole in order to spread roots properly. Work soil among the roots, packing soil thoroughly after planting.



NEW JERSEY. The Roses that I got from you last spring have grown and bloomed wonderfully. My friends who have flower gardens think my Roses are wonders. Yours truly, Edward Bell, September 19, 1930.



Gorgeous Yellow Rose, Joanna Hill

## \*Joanna Hill

Superb new everblooming Hybrid Tea bush Rose. Large long handsome buds opening into a deep full bloom of a beautiful shade of creamy yellow flushed with orange at base of petals. A wonderful grower, making a magnificent bush in a short time. Blooms produced in wonderful profusion throughout the entire season. Foliage good and free from disease.

**E. G. HILL.** (H.T.)—Immense perfect blooms of crimson scarlet retaining its color well. Handsome pointed buds on erect stems, making it fine for cutting. Produces an abundance of blooms throughout the entire season. Foliage large and free from mildew and disease. Blooms very fragrant. Perfectly hardy and a splendid out door variety.

**GRACE N. CROWELL.** (H. T.)—Color a brilliant rose with petals heavily veined with vinous crimson while the base of the petals is shaded primrose yellow. Handsome buds opening into an immense perfect bloom, on long stiff stems.

**CHAPLIN'S PINK CLIMBER**—A cross between Paul's Scarlet and American Pillar which has won prizes wherever shown. Makes a glorious color effect for several weeks. Substantial, broad trusses of wide, flat flowers of a brilliant shade of clean, pure pink, which is retained from bud to full-bloom flower.

## New Roses

### Of Recent Introduction

The Roses listed under the heading of "New Roses" comprise what we consider the best latest and the most beautiful productions of the famous Rosarians in all parts of the world. We spare no effort or expense to secure such as we consider worthy after a very careful watching of the habits, characteristics and disease resistance qualities of each new variety. There are so many new varieties offered to the rose loving public each year that are not suitable at all for outdoor culture, that we hesitate to recommend only those we know will not be a disappointment. Many have been discouraged with such that have been so highly recommended because they do not prove suitable for our climate or they soon become diseased

and die. Often times the bloom is a disappointment because it does not compare with the description both in color and formation.

These new varieties are supplied in the usual Dingee quality and on their own roots, free from disease.

## President Hoover

(H. T.)—Long pointed buds on erect stems opening into large flowers of a very charming combination of cerise pink, flame scarlet and yellow with broad, thick petals; very fragrant. Clean, handsome foliage. A remarkable novelty that has been much admired. Growth vigorous.

**GAIETY.** (H. T.)—One of the fancy colored Roses that seems to meet the taste of all rose enthusiasts as we find those who have grown it speaking in the highest praise of its good characters. Exceptionally fine grower producing fine big plant in a short time. Foliage light green, free from black spot or mildew. Produces quantities of large round camillea-like flowers of an extraordinary combination of pink, red, golden yellow, indian red and brown. Colors vary with the season and seems to increase in beauty every day. Some claim it is the best of all their Roses.

Price of Roses on this page: First size plants 30c each, 4 for \$1.00 postpaid. Two year old plants, 90c each, 2 for \$1.75. Varieties marked \* can be furnished in 3 year old or star size at \$1.25 by parcel post or express. See page 3 for Parcel Post charges.



KANSAS. Out of about 50 first size Own Root Roses from you last year I only lost 3 or 4 in spite of the severe dry hot summer. Charles Dingee is a wonder. Don. M. Baker, Lawrence. March 17, 1931.



## NEW ROSES—Continued

### Talisman

A very much advertised and sensational rose. There do not seem to be two descriptions that fit it in all phases. Some speak very highly of it while others condemn it. It has one great redeeming feature and that is its disease resistant quality. We have found it a wonderful grower and bloomer. Buds are handsome of a mixture of orange yellow and red, a striking combination. Superb in early spring and in the late fall.

**HOLT HEWETT** (H.T.)—Some growers report that this is one of the finest shaped roses, and one of the best for exhibition purposes. Bud is well shaped on erect stems opening into a large fine flower of perfect form. Dark velvety crimson flushed scarlet, sweetly scented.

**MISS C. E. VAN ROSSEM**—Velvety dark red, well formed buds, open flowers almost the same shade, reinforced with scarlet and black; fragrant. Strong bushy plant, free flowering. A good bedding rose on account of producing flowers under any condition.



Fancy Colored Rose "Talisman"

### Garden Gem

This great new bush rose introduced and for sale only by us is a remarkable rose—it has no disease of any kind. Absolutely free from Black Spot and kindred diseases that are so annoying and which are found so abundantly in nearly all the roses of recent origin. It has wonderfully clean, heavy foliage.

Its parentage is the finest of any rose in cultivation—a hybridization of "Mrs. E. T. Stotesbury"—a great American rose and "America," another great American (Hill) production.

It is a marvelously strong, healthy grower under the most adverse conditions, thriving even in extreme heat—just a grand grower. As already stated there is no rose we know of to compare with it in the absolute healthy growth that characterizes it at all times. Of course it is but natural that it should be a magnificent bloomer, continuously bearing its beautiful, satiny pink flowers of lovely form on strong erect stems, making it one of the greatest of all roses, new or old, for garden cultivation and for cutting.



Our Great New Rose "Garden Gem"

Price. First size, one-year plants, 30 cts. each, for all Roses on this page; 4 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 90 cts. each, 2 for \$1.75 by express or Parcel Post.

See page 3 for Parcel Post Charges.

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NEW YORK. The "Garden Gem" Rose I purchased of you is the most beautiful Rose for a garden Rose that we have in our collection. Mrs. Frank G. Baker, September 18, 1930.



A Gorgeous Newcomer "Rose Hill"

### \*Rose Hill

Sport of Columbia but superior in every way. Darker than Columbia, larger blooms, better foliage and grower. The buds and blooms are perfect in color and formation, being long pointed and solid, opening into a perfect bloom of immense size. Splendid grower, free from disease, producing an abundance of flowers the entire season. Color a pure rose pink of charming brilliancy which does not lighten.

**MRS. CHARLES BELL**—Lovely shell-pink buds and blooms of fine globular form with shadings of soft salmon, sweetly perfumed. Strong bushy plant bearing good foliage seldom attacked by disease. A sport of Radiance exactly like it except in color, making it soon to become as popular as the standard varieties Radiance and Red Radiance.

**EUREKA**—The color is an unusually brilliant, clear rose pink, retaining its color in the open flower. Lovely buds of fine form; flowers very large, full and double, borne on long straight stems. Foliage heavy and of a dark green color. Strong grower, forming an erect bush. A remarkably free bloomer.

## Dingee Famous Hybrid Tea Roses

### The Most Desirable of All

It has not been many years since the introduction of the Hybrid Tea class of roses by Guillot. It is a part of the early history of the Rose in this country that this house was the first to call attention to the valuable characteristics of the class and was greatly instrumental in making it the most popular. Today the great majority of roses grown are Hybrid Teas, and new varieties are being produced by the hundreds.

The Hybrid Teas, as a class, are the most satisfactory of roses. They produce the most beautiful blooms, of all forms and colors—and continuously from early spring until heavy frost. Like the Hybrid Perpetuals, they are vigorous growers; hardy, but not exceptionally

so. Therefore they are well adapted for growing in our temperate climates, but in zones of extreme winters need some protection. Their foliage is heavy and disease resisting, but, as with all roses, must be protected from the ravages of insects.

Our collection of Hybrid Teas is extensive and complete. But the varieties offered on the following pages have been selected with an understanding of the needs of the amateur grower, and are varieties that have shown themselves to be well adapted for growing.

**AMELIA GUDÉ**—A most charming rose, with dainty buds, and blooms of exquisite form. The colors of yellow-rose, deepening towards the center to peach yellow, are exceedingly soft, and very pleasingly blended. A strong growing variety, with fine healthy foliage and very liberal in its production of blooms from one season's end to the other.

Price. First size, one-year plants, 25c each, for all Roses on this page except where noted, 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 75c each, by express; \$8.00 per dozen of one or more varieties, 6 at dozen rate.

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COLORADO. I bought from you 22 Roses 12 two year old and 10 one year old bushes. Every bush bloomed last summer all summer. I am more than satisfied with them. H. N. B., Fort Collins.



## HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued

### \*Briarcliff

The best sport of Columbia yet produced, and one of the grandest roses that it has been our privilege to grow, and we have grown a large number of the roses that have been produced by all countries. Bud beautifully formed, long solid but not too pointed, opening into one of the finest blooms that could be imagined. Very double and a brilliant rose pink. The plant is a splendid grower, free from diseases such as black spot and mildew. Flowers produced in a great abundance the entire season, on long stiff stems, making it ideal for cutting.

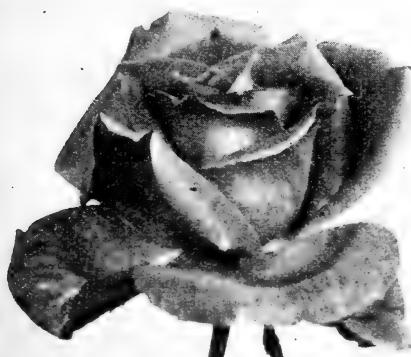


Briarcliff—A most superb New Rose

**PRISCILLA**—Strong robust grower with dark green foliage free from disease. Color a flesh pink with darker shadings. Buds well formed opening full and double and on long stiff stems well above the foliage.

**ETOILE DE HOLLAND**—Flower bright, dark red, of medium size, fairly full; deliciously perfumed. Growth vigorous, upright. A cross between General MacArthur and Hadley. A rose of great future.

**HOOSIER BEAUTY**—The rich colors of this marvelous rose have never been equalled—dusky, crimson scarlet, with dark shadings and of a depth found in no other rose. Heavy petals of a velvet-like texture add to the richness of the colors.



F. R. Patzer

### \*F. R. Patzer

A Rose of striking and pleasing appearance, owing to the delicate blending of color, which is a creamy-buff, with the reverse of petals a delicate warm pink, and as they expand the color becomes a light orange pink.

**PADRE**—Color a brilliant coppery scarlet flushed with yellow at base of petals, a pleasing combination. Beautiful long buds borne on long stiff stems, making a splendid cutting variety. Open flower semi-double.

**MRS. HENRY MORSE**—Two contrasting tones of pink with an underlying yellow glow, double high centered. Plant tall and branching.

**RHEA REID**—Color a vivid scarlet crimson. Flowers are marvels of beauty, large, bold and of splendid substance. Strong, sturdy, vigorous grower.

**LADY ASHTOWN**—One of the good old standard Roses that remains good. Satiny buds and blooms of deep shining pink with a yellow glow at base of petals. High center and very double.

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MASSACHUSETTS. The Tea Roses you sold me last year have done wonders and are the despair and envy of my friends. Yours truly. Wm. Reade Hersey.



## HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued

### \*Columbia (The Gem of the Garden)

It is an extremely profuse bloomer—as free a bloomer as the Teas, especially in the cooler seasons, for the plant is a strong grower and is made up chiefly of flower stems. The color is a deep peach pink, deepening into a glowing pink, a perfect color. Handsome, firm buds, are borne on long, stiff stems well above the foliage, and open into very large somewhat flat flowers of good substance, splendid lasting quality, and of delightful fragrance. Heavy, healthy foliage.

**MAD. JULES GROLEZ**—The color is a distinct and charming shade of cherry-red. The fine form and attractive shape of the flowers makes them excellent for cutting.

**W. FREELAND KENDRICK** (Originally called Bloomfield Endurance). Type, La France. Bud medium size, ovoid, flesh-white; flowers, large, slightly globular, very double, full, very lasting, fragrant, flesh deepening to peach in center.

**CITY OF LITTLE ROCK**—Distinct and beautiful in color, a bright rosy pink or rose shaded with Hydrangea pink. The buds which open perfectly are long of ideal form.

**ETOILE DE FRANCE**—The strong, upright bushes have beautiful bronze-green foliage, which is not subject to insect attacks. The bushes are blooming constantly, producing large, massive, deep, full cup-formed flowers of clear red or velvety crimson.

Columbia—A fine Garden Rose

### \*Crimson Beauty

This splendid new variety has health in bush rose is the result of this parentage—the great (American) "Hoosier Beauty" crossed with "Crimson Champion" and there you have the name—"Crimson Beauty."

This splendid new variety has health in abundance, grows clean, strong and sturdy, has no weaknesses and blooms in marvelous profusion, bearing its magnificent crimson flowers, which have much of the form of "Gruss an Teplitz," throughout the growing season, so that the bush is literally covered early and late with its gorgeous crimson flowers. Roses of this type are in the greatest demand because of their health, beauty and permanency.

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Our New Rose "Crimson Beauty"



MARYLAND. I have some Rose bushes I bought from you 15 years ago when we built the house. They are still blooming beautiful. Mrs. D. Ammel, Baltimore. June 2, 1931.



## HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued

### \*Red Radiance

Very similar to Radiance and equally satisfactory. Large, globular, cupped blooms, of strong, clear red, with no trace of any other color. An exceptionally vigorous grower, sending forth heavy canes, with healthy foliage. Very liberal in producing blooms, it cannot be surpassed as a red garden rose. Extremely hardy. One of the dependable roses as it is always in bloom no matter what the conditions are.

**\*CRUSADER** — Rich velvety crimson of bright hue and of massive form, this rose is one of the very finest of the reds. The flowers are very large, full, extremely double, with petals of splendid substance. Plant is of moderate growth, with exceptionally fine, disease resistant foliage. Its long stems and its lasting qualities make it a splendid cutting variety.

**\*SUNBURST** — A magnificent giant yellow forcing Rose, also well adapted for outdoor growing, being a vigorous and healthy Rose. Reddish-bronze foliage. The color is superb orange copper or golden orange, with a deep orange center.

**MAD. CAROLINE TESTOUT** — In color, it is of a satiny rose, deepening to clear red in the center. One of the most dependable roses.

**\*PREMIER** — The blooms are immense, often measuring 5 and 6 inches across the open flower; buds long, full and pointed. Color rich, deep, rose-pink, without shadings.



The Ever Popular Red Radiance

### \*Radiance

#### The Standard Garden Rose of America

This is by far the best pink garden rose in existence, because of its vigorous, heavy growth, and its great abundance of bloom. Extremely easy to grow, requiring little attention, it is exceptionally well adapted for the amateur's garden. The color is almost a solid rose-pink, but with lighter tints and reflections. Long, heavy stems, bearing large and beautiful buds, which open slowly into globular, somewhat loosely formed, fairly double flowers. This is one of the hardiest of roses, and will survive very severe winters.

**KAISERIN AUGUSTA VICTORIA** — Large buds of creamy white; the open flower delicate pure white, with a drop of lemon at the center, very large and fragrant.

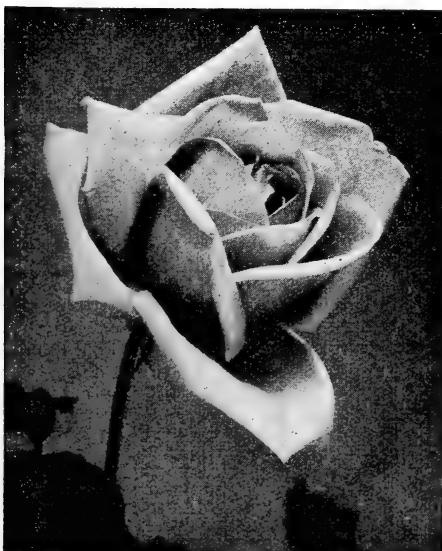
**OPHELIA** — Salmon flesh, shaded with rose in perfect tints. Buds of unusual attractiveness, opening full and double. Plant of strong habit, and produces its flowers in great profusion. Very hardy.

**MADAME SEGOND WEBER** — One of the most beautiful roses, of ideal form. The long, pointed buds are pink or salmon-flesh and when fully expanded are immense in size, full and double; as the flower opens it deepens until it fairly glows with its warm, deep pink. Highly fragrant. Very hardy and constantly in bloom.

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The Great Radiance Rose



MAINE. The two year old plants obtained from you last year have kept nicely thru the winter and now show every evidence of healthy thrifty plants. H. M. Carey, M. D. Unity, June 1, 1931.



## HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued



"Francis Scott Key"  
A Super Rose

### \*Francis Scott Key

This American production, named in honor of the author of our national anthem, is a credit to its name. It is by far the most popular red rose, for its glowing colors, its remarkable size, its fullness, its perfection of form, make it a greatly prized variety. The color is a rich, glowing scarlet, with darker shadings, becoming darker as the flower ages. It is a continuous bloomer, producing its immense blooms on stout stems in great profusion. The growth is excellent and the foliage heavy, little troubled with disease. Very hardy. Reports from almost all sections of the country show excellent results with this remarkable rose.

**LADY ALICE STANLEY**—Massive buds and blooms, fully double and very sweet. outside petals coral-rose, inside pale flesh pink. One of the dependable roses for any purpose.

**LORD CHARLEMONT**—Flowers clear crimson, deepening to carmine crimson with almost black shadings, perfectly shaped, long pointed buds, large and full sweetly scented flowers. Free-growing and free-flowering, a splendid Rose of exceptional richness and beauty.

**PRESIDENT TAFT**—A most remarkable pink Rose, with a shining intense deep pink color of a very distinctive shade. Splendid grower in every respect.

**GEN. ARNOLD JANSSEN**—Color a deep glowing carmine. Free bloomer. Buds long and pointed on long, stiff stems.

### John Cook

A seedling of La France is noted for its profusion of bloom throughout the entire season. The buds form in clusters of two to six. The flowers are similar to La France in color, but it is a great improvement of that variety in its quick growth and freedom from black spot.

### BRITISH QUEEN

The flower resembles Frau Karl Druschki, but with Tea Rose form and refinement. Buds sometimes show a slight flush, which disappears as flower expands.

**HENRIETTA** — Long buds, opening to semi-double blooms of fiery orange and coral red, almost perfect in half open state, quite fragrant. Strong grower with good foliage.

**SALMON SPRAY**—Salmon pink with carmine reverse. Flowers of medium size and borne in clusters. Continuous and profuse bloomer. Good for cutting. Very unique.

**LULU**—Beautiful buds of orange red shaded with salmon. Very dainty and distinct being somewhat similar to Mlle. Brunner but much larger. A fine bedding variety.

**\*JONKHEER J. L. MOCK**—The buds are immense and of very fine form, borne on long, stiff stems. Color a clear imperial pink, reflexed petals of a lighter shade. Strong, tall grower, at its best in heat, when the heavy petals open to perfection.

**DEAN HOLE**—Silvery carmine Roses with salmon shadings. The coloring is distinct and unique; handsome tribute to the eminent Rosarian whose name it bears.

**\*MAD. ABEL CHATENAY**—This splendid Rose is one of the very best of its color—rosy-carmine with darker shade.

**COMMONWEALTH** — Bud large, long pointed; flower large, open, double, very lasting; deep pink, solid color; borne singly on medium strong stem; moderate fragrance.

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MARYLAND. I wish to express my sincere thanks for the lovely Columbia Rose plants which were received the last of June. The Rose plants are doing fine in spite of the very hot weather. Mrs. Luther Brashears, Maryland.



## HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued

### Mrs. Aaron Ward

Most exquisite buds of golden buff or fawn, opening to full, double, well formed flowers, of pinkish fawn. The plant does not grow large, but is dwarf and spreading, covered with heavy foliage that is immune from disease and insect pests. This is an excellent rose for the garden, for it requires little attention, blooms profusely, and is most useful for cutting and for the buttonhole.

#### PERLE VON GODESBERG —

This magnificent Rose was originally sent out as a Yellow Kaiserin Augusta Victoria, it having all the beauty of form and substance of that great garden Rose. The color is a rich canary-yellow with shadings of saffron.

**LAURENT CARLE**—A beautiful Rose, with extra large, handsomely formed rich velvety carmine buds and flowers. It is a phenomenally strong and robust grower, and continually in bloom throughout the season. A splendid rose and quite fragrant.

**MRS. F. R. PIERSON**—Color hard to describe, cardinal-red, or as described by New York experts, "a crimson Rose flooded with sunshine". The buds are long slender and pointed, of ideal shape and form, the flowers are deep, long petaled and very fragrant, born on long strong stems.

**COMTESSE DE CASSAGNE**—Flowers of varying color; rich coppery-pink shaded clear rose; sometimes comes pure yellow; very large, form very fine. Many petals of good substance and deliciously fragrant. The plant is strong, vigorous, free flowering and quite healthy.



The Dainty Buds of Mrs. Aaron Ward

### \*Silver Columbia

This rose is a sport of the famous Columbia. The color is a clear shade of deep silver pink, lighter than that of its parent. The color deepens towards the center. The flowers are larger than Columbia, inclined to be flat, but magnificently formed on long, strong stems, which make it an excellent rose for cutting. It has all the growing characteristics of its parent, but is a more profuse and a more constant bloomer—blooming from one season's end to the other. The foliage is heavy, of a dark green, remarkably free from disease. Very hardy, and extremely easy to grow—admirably adapted for the amateur's garden, requiring little attention, and producing a wealth of beauty.

**MME. BUTTERFLY**—All the color tones of Ophelia are intensified, making it a harmony of bright pink, apricot and gold. The tight buds are a lovely shade of Indian oak, yellow at the base; the opening flowers are perfect in form and texture, clear and brilliant in color and of delicious fragrance.

**GENERAL MacARTHUR**—Of strong, vigorous, healthy growth, branching freely, it produces its wonderful blooms profusely from May until October, of full scarlet crimson.



Beautiful Silver Columbia

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HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued

**\*Gruss an Teplitz**

For intense and dazzling color there is no other rose to compare with this—fiery crimson, shaded with a dark velvety sheen. The flowers are large and handsome, produced in continuous profusion throughout the season. Very vigorous, bushy grower, and because of its strong growing habits it should not be placed with other hybrid teas. Extremely hardy, easy to grow, always in bloom. It is one of the most satisfactory of roses.

**\*AMERICAN LEGION**—The color is a pleasing shade of cerise, which is retained until the petals fall. Well formed buds, produced on long stems, make it a fine rose for cutting. Heavy, disease resistant foliage, little troubled with insects. Strong grower, and free bloomer.

**MRS. WAKEFIELD CHRISTIE-MILLER**—Free bloomer, always loaded with handsome buds and blooms. Buds long and pointed, opening full, double and great size. Color a soft pearly blush shaded salmon. Outside of petals a clear vermilion-rose.

**\*WELLESLEY**—A most magnificent garden Rose of a beautiful shade of pink, vigorous, healthy growers; remarkably free-flowering, particularly adapted for outdoor culture.

**METEOR**—Very few dark Roses compare with this in richness and depth in color, which is a rich velvety crimson, shading very dark in the depths of the petals.



Gruss an Teplitz, one of the "Big 12"

**\*Kootenay**

The buds are long and pointed, and of exquisite form, opening to large rounded flowers full and double. Color creamy white, with shadings of flesh colors towards the center. Foliage heavy, unaffected by disease and little troubled with insects.

**ROSE DAWN**—Bud pointed, good size, medium full. Color a soft rose flesh with yellow base. Good foliage of a light green and free from insects or disease.

**\*TEMPLAR**—Bud medium size, globular; flower medium size, double globular, very lasting. Vigorous upright, abundant and continuous bloomer. Clear bright red, exceedingly double fine strong stems. Few thorns. Strongly perfumed.

**HADLEY**—In color it is a deep velvety-crimson, retaining its brilliancy at all seasons of the year. The variety is double and buds are well formed. It is a strong, rapid grower.

**WHITE LA FRANCE** (Augustine Guinoiseau) — A pure white member of the La France family, having just a tinge of rose-blush tint, which grows stronger in the depth of the petals.

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An Unusual Rose "Kootenay"



TEXAS. I have 150 Roses and the Own Root Roses so far surpass the budded ones that I will never buy budded stock again. Mrs. B. F. J. Dallas.



## HYBRID TEA ROSES—Contd.

### Lovely Killarney Roses

#### \*DOUBLE PINK KILLARNEY (The Famous Irish Rose)

—The bush is strong and upright, with beautiful, deep bronzy green foliage, and the Rose is entirely free-blooming, bearing immense long pointed buds and massive flowers on big, heavy shoots. The color is deep, brilliant and sparkling shell-pink, of the most exquisite shade. The flowers are of delightful fragrance, immense size, and have thick petals of great substance.

**YELLOW KILLARNEY** (Mme. Jenny Gillemot)—A brilliant saffron-yellow Rose, opening canary with dark golden shades. The buds are long and pointed, beautiful in form and color, the flowers are large, with immense petals. Blooms produced on long, stiff stems, excellent for cutting.

**\*DOUBLE WHITE KILLARNEY**—This offspring of the Pink Killarney is one of the most exquisite white Roses grown. The long, full buds are handsome in shape and the full-open flower most refined and beautiful in form and texture.



Double Pink Killarney

**Special Offer** One each of these Killarneys, 3 in all, first size plants, sent postpaid for 60c. One of each, 3 in all, two-year-old plants, sent by express for \$2.00. Single plants, first size 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 75c each; \$8.00 per dozen, by express. See page 3 for Parcel Post Charges.

### Dingee Ever-Blooming Tea Roses

This class of Roses is famous for its lovely blooms of delicate beauty—soft, refined colors; subdued, yet powerful fragrance. Constantly in flower, it has a place in all gardens. The Tea Rose, introduced into Europe from China in the early part of the nineteenth century, is the parent of all our everblooming Roses, and as the foundation of all the great Roses of today, has a warm spot in the hearts of all rose-lovers. And never has the marvelous beauty of the Teas been surpassed.

It must be pointed out that the Tea Roses are not as hardy, nor as vigorous growers as the Hybrid Perpetuals, or the Hybrid Teas. In the northern climates of extreme cold even the hardier kinds, such as Charles Dingee, must be given some protection in winter. As most of the varieties are of but moderate growth, they require rather close pruning. It is better to have a richer soil than that used for Hybrid Teas. Excellent for winter blooming indoors.

#### "Charles Dingee"

The Most Wonderful Bush Rose in the World

(See prices and the Colored Photographic Illustration on Inside Front Cover).

### Alexander Hill Gray

Deep lemon-yellow, deepening as the flower expands, does not fade in the open ground. Buds and blooms of perfect formation and of great substance, and produced in the greatest abundance throughout the entire season. Splendid foliage. Seldom diseased. Strong grower, hardy everywhere.

**IVORY**—Color pure white without a particle of any other color.

**BURBANK**—Large crimson flowers; very fragrant, and produced in marvelous profusion the entire season. Strong, upright grower.

**BON SILENE**—The color is deep rose changing to pale light rose.

**THE BRIDE**—There is no other white Rose more satisfactory than the Bride.

**BRIDESMAID**—This variety is valuable for cutting and does finely in the open ground; a sport from the old and popular pink Tea Catherine Mermet.

**CATHERINE MERMET**—A very free bloomer, producing clear, shining pink flowers, the center being shaded fawn and amber.

Price, 20c each for all Roses, first size plants, on this page; 6 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 75c each; \$7.50 per dozen of one or more varieties, by express, 6 at doz. rate.

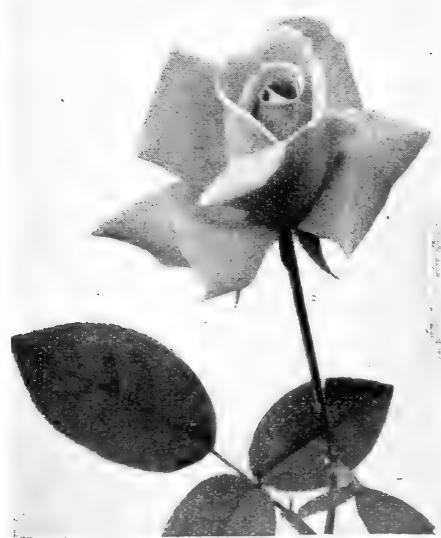
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OHIO. They are much surprised at my Dingee Own Root Roses. A wonderful growth is coming from those roots. Our winter was such that nearly all, even the hardy climbers froze to the ground. I only lost one Rose. Mrs. E. C. O., Basil.



## EVERBLOOMING TEA ROSES—*Contd.*



The beautiful Lady Hillingdon

### Lady Hillingdon

Apricot yellow shaded to orange on the outer edge of the petals, becoming deeper and more intense toward the center of the bloom. The color does not fade after the bloom. Buds are produced on long, strong, wiry stems, well above the foliage, producing a slender and graceful effect.

**ETOILE DE LYON**—Blooms freely, beautifully formed, rich golden yellow.

**LADY PLYMOUTH**—A Rose similar to Souv. de Pierre Notting, which means a handsome bud, full, double bloom of large size. Deep ivory cream, faintly flushed.

**MRS. B. R. CANT**—Deep rose, with silvery rose center.

**SOUV. DE PIERRE NOTTING**—Color apricot-yellow, tinged with golden and mixed with orange-yellow, edge of petal shaded carmine-rose.

**BLUMENSCHMIDT**—Citron-yellow flowers, each petal of which is edged with dainty rose.

**QUEEN'S SCARLET**—A constant and profuse bloomer; color, velvety scarlet.

**SAFRANO**—The color is a bright apricot-yellow, passing to orange and fawn, sometimes tinted rose.

**MAD. FRANCISCA KRUGER**—The flowers large, deeply shaded coppery yellow in color.

**WM. R. SMITH**—Especially suited for outdoor planting and cutting purposes. The soft blending of the salmon-pinks, rose-pinks, and the magnificent flesh tints resemble the blush of a maiden's cheek. The flowers are large, full and double, and most exquisitely formed. The petals are so firm they look like wax. Perfect buds.

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## Baby Rambler Roses

A conspicuous group is composed of the **Baby Ramblers**, so called because of the resemblance, in dwarf (12 to 18 inches), to the ramblers, with blooms produced in large, many flowered clusters. Absolutely hardy.

### Baby Doll or Tip Top

The flowers are miniature in size but magnificent in form and produced by the hundreds. Exquisite for cutting or bouquets and bedding purposes. Makes a magnificent show in the open ground, always blooming from early spring until late fall. The tips of the petals are vivid scarlet, then mellowing down through shades of pink into saffron, lavender and gold, finally into deep old gold, a combination extraordinary and pleasing. Foliage slender and produced in abundance, dark lustre green.

**MILLE. CECILE BRUNER**—Rosy pink on rich creamy white ground; a great bloomer.

**BABY TAUSENDSCHEIN**—Flowers firm, white, delicately flushed pink, changing to deep rosy-carmine.

**GEO. ELMER**—It produces great quantities of lovely little buds of golden-yellow.

**ORLEANS**—Brilliant geranium red flowers, suffused rose, with a rosy-white center.

**LAFAYETTE**—Very attractive large, bright crimson-scarlet.

**GRUSS AN AACHEN**—Yellowish rose colored with salmon pink and red shadings. Blooms larger than the average polyantha.

**ELLEN POULSON**—Dark brilliant pink.

**CLOTILDE SOUPERT**—A strong, dwarf grower and a truly wonderful bloomer, producing clusters after clusters of the finest formed flowers. Full and double, and deliciously sweet, ivory-white, shading toward the center to silvery-rose.



The Exquisite  
"Baby Doll"



## Dingee Hardy Hybrid Perpetual Roses

The Hybrid Perpetuals, or "June Roses," are the most famous of all roses. Most of the varieties were propagated years ago—the best known is General Jacqueminot, which was brought out in 1852—but time has not lessened their popularity.

Although they usually bloom only once a year, they produce an enormous number of flowers—more than the Hybrid Teas. They are of extremely vigorous, upright growth, putting forth long, heavy canes. The flowers are immense in size, often measuring six inches in diameter, and are delightfully fragrant. They are perfectly hardy, and live through the most severe winters with slight protection.

**MARSHALL P. WILDER**—Flowers large, semi-globular, full and of good substance: bright scarlet-crimson, richly shaded with maroon.

**GENERAL JACQUEMINOT**—Bright, shining crimson, rich and velvety; exceedingly brilliant and handsome; makes magnificent buds and flowers.

**ANNE DE DIESBACH**—Most lovely brilliant carmine, long, pointed buds, and large, finely formed, compact flowers, very full and double and delightfully sweet.

**MAD. CHARLES WOOD**—Flowers extra large, double, full and quite fragrant; bright fiery scarlet, passing to fine, rosy crimson, shaded with maroon.

**MAD. MASSON**—It is entirely hardy, blooms nearly all the time, as free as any Hybrid Tea, bearing numbers of large, full, double flowers of unusual beauty and wonderful fragrance; clear, bright rose, distinct and charming.

**PAUL NEYRON**—The flowers are immense; probably the largest and finest Rose; bright, shining pink, clear and beautiful, very double and full.

**J. B. CLARK**—An intense, deep scarlet rose, shaded blackish-crimson color like the sheen of a plum.

**VICK'S CAPRICE**—Flowers large and slightly cup-shaped, but full and deep; petals thick and lasting, having the ground color clear, satiny pink, distinctly striped and dashed with white and bright carmine.

**GREEN ROSE—Viridiflora**—A most interesting member of the Rose family, grown for its oddity. Petals are small, pointed, set thickly, and of the same color as the foliage, dark pea green.

Price of Hybrid Perpetual Roses: first size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 75c each; \$7.50 per dozen of one or more varieties, 6 at doz. rate, by express. See page 3 for Parcel Post charges.

## Dingee Hardy Climbing Roses

Hardy Climbing Roses have become an absolute necessity for beautifying the home, for training over porches, verandas, trellises, and pergolas and for training of low supports to make the most beautiful flowering hedges. Can be grown as individual specimen plants, when properly trained, for they can be kept trimmed to any shape.

In recent years great advance has been made in the development of this class of roses. Today there are climbers that have blooms rivalling the Hybrid Teas, and even hardier than roses of the latter class. However, some of the varieties are not as hardy as others, and require some protection in the far north.

Due to the fact that these roses are hardy, and of extremely vigorous growth, sending forth canes more than ten feet long in a single year, they will survive many winters if the proper kind of plants are used. Plant own-root stock—the Dingee kind—for once planted they last. The growth is strong and heavy, and no wild shoots can come up.

### Climbing American Beauty

The colors of carmine and crimson are those of the bush rose American Beauty. Exceptionally fine buds, opening into very large flowers of splendid form, borne on long stems, and available for cutting. Vigorous, healthy, leathery foliage, retained usually throughout the season. The blooming season is unusually long for a climbing Rose. Absolutely hardy, it is one of the best roses for pillars, pergolas, for climbing over verandas, or wherever a climber is desired. Its ease of growth makes it the amateur's best bet.

**AUNT HARRIET**—In full bloom, it is amazingly fine with its masses of dazzling scarlet-crimson Roses loading every branch. The bright effect is intensified by the pure white centers and brilliant golden anthers which shine out when the flowers are fully open. Awarded Certificate of Merit, American Rose Society.

**MARY WALLACE**—Hardy Climber or pillar rose making a fine, strong self-supporting plant 6 to 8 feet high, with large glossy foliage, blooming with great freedom in spring and bearing a considerable number of fine buds in summer and fall. Flowers very large, usually exceeding 4 inches across; well formed semi-double, of a bright clear rose-pink with salmon base to the petals.

**MARY LOVETT**—A cross between a Seedling, Wichuriana and Kaiserin Augusta Victoria and termed a "White Dr. Van Fleet." This rose is strongly recommended. Loses foliage early.

Price of Climbing Roses on this page except where noted, first size plants, 20c each; any 6 for \$1.00; two-year-old plants, 70c each; \$7.00 per dozen of one or more varieties, by express. See page 3 for Parcel Post charges.

# Dingee Famous Climbing Roses--Continued

## Paul's Scarlet Climber



Paul's Scarlet Climber

## Birdie Blye

One of the Everblooming hardy climbers. Always in bloom. Perfectly hardy. Good strong grower. Foliage bright glossy green and free from insects or disease. Blooms full and double over three inches in diameter. Color a bright carmine, changing to bright rose.

**THOUSAND BEAUTIES**—Is a favorite with Rose-lovers, for its great mass of bloom makes a pleasing and impressive display. Large flowers with ruffled petals, borne in enormous trusses, from 10 to 15 in a cluster. Colors vary through shades of yellow, cream, and rose pink. A tremendously vigorous plant, bearing thousands of blooms early in the season.

**CHRISTINE WRIGHT**—Thick leathery, dark green foliage, practically immune from insects or disease. Blooms are produced singly and in large clusters, each bloom perfect in form and from 3 to 4 inches in diameter. Color an exquisite shade of bright wild-rose pink.

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Startling, vivid scarlet colors have won for this Rose well deserved recognition as the most attractive climber ever introduced. It is a vigorous grower, produces a mass of bloom, and with its bright colors which are retained without fading for a long period, it makes the most brilliant display imaginable. Heavy disease resistant foliage; great freedom of bloom. Paul's Scarlet Climber, the winner of innumerable medals for excellence, is a Rose that no one should be without.

**KEYSTONE**—Perfectly hardy everywhere, blooms in wonderful profusion. The open flower of Keystone is perfectly double, with buds beautifully formed. It is a deep lemon-yellow.

**ALBERIC BARBIER**—A thrifty yellow; flowers are bright and full, very fragrant.

**BESS LOVETT**—Resembles Climbing American Beauty in shape of bloom, but is very much brighter in color and much more fragrant. Flowers are clear bright red, of good size, and of double, full, cupped form, lasting a long time.

**DOROTHY PERKINS**—A brilliant pink rambler Rose, flowers in large clusters, prettily crinkled petals. Hardy and satisfactory.

**DR. W. VAN FLEET**—Flowers when open run four inches and over in diameter. The center is built high, petals beautifully undulated and cupped. The color is a remarkably delicate shade of flesh-pink on the outer surface, deepening to rosy flesh in the center. Flowers full, double, of delicate perfume; buds pointed.

**SILVER MOON**—Single flowers, extra large, freely produced on long, strong stems; excellent for cutting. Color brilliant silvery-white with a mass of golden yellow stamens in center.

**DR. ROBERT HUEY**—Buds and flowers medium size, semi-double to single in clusters of 3 or 4. Dark crimson of great brilliancy. Stamens and anthers, yellow.

**EXCELSA**—A remarkable grower, free from insects and producing a great quantity of blooms of crimson maroon with the tips of the petals scarlet.

**VIOLETTE**—Rather large flowers of deep reddish violet borne in large trusses.

**AMERICAN PILLAR**—Of extremely vigorous habit of growth, the bushes being clothed in lively green from earliest spring until late in the fall. The flowers are produced in profusion, fairly covering the bush, color bright pink. In the fall, the red berries are highly ornamental.

**AVIATEUR BLERIOT**—Saffron-yellow, center golden-yellow; full and double, flowering in clusters.

**VEILCHEN BLAU OR VIOLET BLUE**—The Blue Rose is one of the most rampant growers we have ever seen, covering a large porch in a single season. The flowers are borne in loose clusters and are a delightful shade of blue—something entirely different from any other Rose.

**ROSARIE (Pink Tausendschon)**—This is a bright pink form of Thousand Beauties.

**JACOTTE**—Color deep coppery yellow, tinted coppery red, borne several together on long stems. Very fragrant.



CONNECTICUT. You will be interested to know that all of the one year bushes sent me last April bloomed in the summer, save one. That's good for young plants set out by an amateur, isn't it? E. J. H.



## Dingee Hardy Ever-blooming Climbing Hybrid Tea Roses

These climbing roses are noted for the exquisite beauty of their flowers, equaling the Hybrid Teas. They are strong growing, vigorous, and bloom freely all summer. They are not as hardy as the climbers described in preceding pages of this book, yet they survive the coldest winters in the district of Philadelphia without the slightest attention and with protection can withstand very severe weather. In the warmer sections of the country, they fairly run riot in their wonderful display of beauty.

**CLIMBING GRUSS AN TEPLITZ**—Hardest of the everblooming Climbing Hybrid Teas. It blooms throughout the season, exceptionally satisfactory. Vigorous grower; heavy foliage, somewhat subject to mildew. Sometimes this fine climbing Rose does not become established quickly, but given attention it will produce a profusion of blooms of that fine dark crimson of the parent, bush variety of the same name.

**CLIMBING LADY ASHTOWN**—Strong, rapid grower; large, delicate pink flowers.

**CLIMBING LADY HILLINGDON** — The blooms are identical with the bush variety of this same name, but the plant is a strong, vigorous grower, producing its buds and blooms throughout the growing season with great profusion. Price, 50c each for first size plants; two-year-old plants, \$1.50 each.

**MARECHAL NIEL**—The wonderful garden Rose of the Southland. Buds and flowers superb, extra large, very double and deliciously perfumed. Deep golden yellow. In the North, should have very careful protection during winter.

**CLIMBING WHITE MAMAN COCHET** — Exquisite white flowers, perfect specimens of the White Maman Cochet Rose, borne in profusion, covering the plant all summer, a most constant bloomer.

**CLIMBING PINK MAMAN COCHET** — A pure Maman Cochet Rose of the Climbing habit. Sufficiently hardy to withstand northern winters with protection.

**CLIMBING RADIANCE**—The name is sufficient recommendation of this grand climbing Rose. Color and formation the same as the bush variety.

**MRS. ROBERT PEARY**—A strong and rapid growth, introduced by us. Small plants of Mrs. Robert Peary will bloom throughout the season and the flowers are magnificent beyond description. The buds are long and pointed, finely modeled.

Price of all Roses on this page, except where noted, strong plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; two-year-old plants, 75c each; \$7.50 per dozen, by express of one or more varieties. See page 3 for Parcel Post Charges.



Climbing Gruss an Teplitz

## "Sturdy as Oak" Rugosas

These are the only everblooming roses which can be called absolutely hardy. Their growth is extremely vigorous, resulting in sturdy, compact bushes four to six feet high. Wrinkled leathery foliage, of a dark shiny green, unaffected by insects or disease. They thrive under all conditions, and are indispensable wherever plants requiring little attention are desired.

Price of Rugosas, except where noted, strong one-year plants, 20c each; 6 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 65c each; \$6.50 per dozen, by express. See page 3 for Parcel Post Charges.

**SIR THOMAS LIPTON**—The best pure white Rugosa Rose. Strong and vigorous, grows 4 feet high. Flowers double.

**CONRAD FERDINAND MEYER** — Strong grower; perfectly hardy; flowers large; well filled, fragrant. Silver rose.

**NEW CENTURY**—Bright, rosy pink, with red center, with petals widely bordered with creamy white.

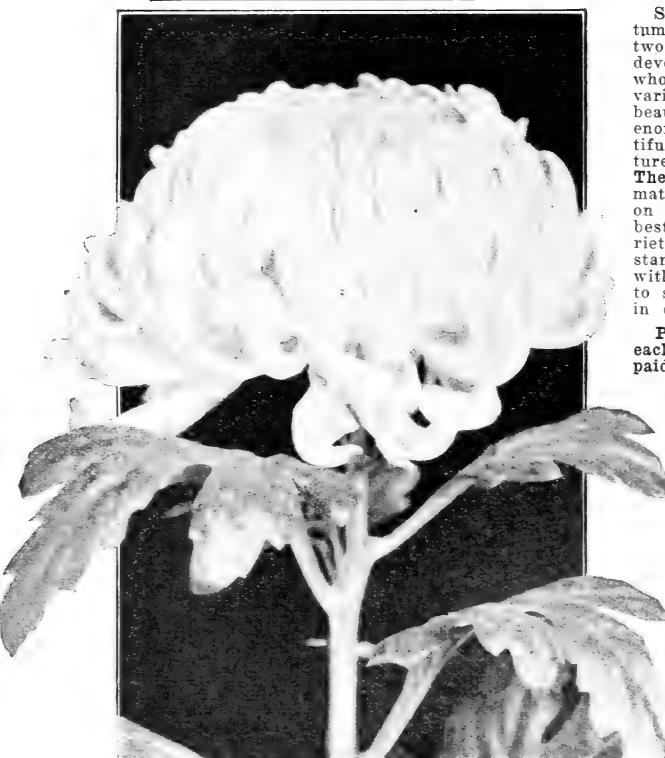
**F. J. GROOTENDORST**—This is a new type of Rose which might properly be called a Rugosa Baby Rambler, it being a cross between Rugosa and the crimson Baby Rambler. Imagine a shrub-like Rugosa Rose covered with trusses of crimson Baby Rambler Roses and you will have a fair conception of this new hybrid variety. 2 year plants only.



NEW JERSEY. All the Roses I got last summer, pot grown Roses, lived. Well pleased with all the Roses I ever got from you. When they put shoots from below the ground they always come true to name. Martha E. Lore.



## Magnificent Dingee Chrysanthemums



Dingee Chrysanthemum

### Hardy Pompon Chrysanthemums

These are entirely hardy and produce hundreds of button-like perfectly double flowers, making an excellent show. Last until late in the autumn. We offer the choicest varieties only. Price. Strong plants, 15c each; 2 for 25c; \$1.50 per dozen, postpaid.

**ADIRONDACK** — Early, golden bronze.

**ALICE HOWELL** — Single orange yellow.

**BUCKINGHAM** — Single Clear pink gigantic size.

**BOSTON** — Even shade of golden bronze.

**CHRISTMAS GOLD** — Very bright yellow, small flowers in clusters.

**CORA PECK BUHL** — Deep golden yellow.

**CLARINDA** — Double bronze.

**DIANA** — Late. Pure white.

**DOTSON** — Old rose reflex petals.

**EDEN** — Bright rose.

**EDINA** — Best rose pink.

**GODFREY** — Late. Light pink.

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**GOLDEN CLIMAX** — Midseason. Golden yellow.

**GOLDEN ORIALE** — Early single. Light yellow.

**IVA** — Reddish bronze.

**JULIANA** — Early yellow.

**KLONDYKE** — Brilliant yellow compact bloom.

**LEILAH** — Rose pink.

**LILLIAN DOTY** — Shell pink.

**MIRAMAR** — Large; an early bronze.

**NEW YORK** — A light bronze.

**RED DOTY** — Brilliant, rich, dark red. Double.

**WHITE DOTY** — Double white flowers.

**YELLOW BABY** — Small button, yellow.

Since the introduction of these lovely autumn-flowering plants into Europe, some two hundred years ago, they have been developed to a wonderful extent. Those who have in mind the small, old garden varieties cannot imagine the exquisite beauty of the newer sorts. They produce enormous, massive flowers of most beautiful colors and perfect shape. Their culture is the easiest. See "How to Grow Them" on page 33, and if further information is desired, it will be furnished upon application. Our collection contains the best and most beautiful of the newer varieties, as well as the choicest of the standard sorts. We offer them at prices within the reach of all, as we would like to see them growing in every garden and in every home.

Price. Strong, healthy pot plants, 15c each; 2 for 25c; \$1.50 per dozen, postpaid.

**BETSY ROSS** — Midseason. Incurved white.

**BROWN UNAKA** — A golden bronze. Early.

**CHARLES RAGER** — Midseason. Incurved pure white.

**EARLY FROST** — White.

**GOLDEN GLORY** — Midseason. Fine big yellow blooms.

**HARVARD** — Late. Medium size. Red.

**MAJOR BANNAFFON** — Late. A fine incurved yellow.

**OCONTO** — Large pure white blooms.

**PACIFIC SUPREME** — Pink. Early.

**PINK CHIEFTAIN** — Midseason. A pleasing shade of pink.

**ROSE CHOCARD** — Midseason. A very large, dark pink.

**ROSE PERFECTION** — Midseason. A Bright pink.

**SILVER SHEEN** — Early. Pure white incurve.

**SUNBEAM** — Late. Bright yellow. Fine.

**SUN GLOW** — Early incurved. Bright yellow.

**UNAKA** — Early. Large pink.

**WHITE CHADWICK** — Late. Blush white incurved.

**WHITE CHIEFTAIN** — Midseason. Medium white.

**WHITE PATTY** — Late. incurved flower. White.

**YELLOW CHADWICK** — Late. A handsome golden yellow.



Dingee Pompon Chrysanthemum



PA. Last year we bought 8 climbing Roses from you and planted them in a northern exposure giving them no winter protection. Now all are thriving but one. Mother M. Irene, Cresson. May 19, 1931.



Bed of famous West Grove Cannas

## Famous West Grove Cannas

Cannas are not hardy and should not be planted until danger of frost is past. Take the roots up in the fall and store them in a warm, dry place.

No flowers will make such an attractive bed. Rapid in growth, freedom of bloom and ornamental foliage makes them so desirable for planting in beds, on lawn or yard, and especially after early blooming bulbs are done. Bloom all summer long. APRICOT—4 feet. The color is a buff-yellow base overspread with salmon-pink, making a mass effect of rich apricot.

NOKOMIS—5 feet. Large, vivid crimson flowers with a rich silky sheen on the petals. Rich bronze foliage.

KING HUMBERT—A glorious Canna. The finest we have ever seen. Grows to a height of about 5 feet. Immense dark bronze foliage with great heads of orange-scarlet flowers.

KING MIDAS—5 feet. Very large flowers of glittering gamboge-yellow. An outstanding variety, making glorious trusses on stems as straight as an arrow. A true Canna aristocrat.

MRS. ALFRED F. CONARD—4 feet. Color, a beautiful shade of salmon-pink. Flowers of immense size. Producing blooms so freely as to make a continuous show for several months.

PANAMA—The orange-red petals are bordered with a broad edge of golden yellow. Flowers large and overlapping.

PRESIDENT—Produces immense heads of glowing crimson flowers 7 inches across the open bloom, on strong erect stalks well above the foliage; 4 feet in height.

EUREKA—The best white. The large substantial flowers are freely produced on vigorous upright stalks. 4½ feet. 50c each.

THE AMBASSADOR—4 feet. Brilliant, large, cherry-red flowers, borne freely on strong stems well above the healthy bronze foliage. Splendid for bedding.

YELLOW KING HUMBERT—4 feet. A sport from the bronze foliage variety of the same name, but with blooms of yellow dotted with red, and green foliage. Good as King Humbert.

MRS. PIERRE S. DUPONT—3 to 4 feet. Single flowers very large and form immense heads. Petals firm and bloom opens perfectly and does not wilt in the hot sun. Color a vivid watermelon-pink and very attractive. The edge of the petals is wavy or crinkled. Flower stems are strong and upright holding the heads well above the healthy green foliage. Price, strong pot plants, 35c each, postpaid.

All Cannas furnished in big, strong, pot-grown plants, ready to bloom.

Price above kinds or assorted strong pot plants, except where otherwise noted, 20c each; 5 for \$1.00 postpaid; \$2.00 per dozen, postpaid.

## Dingee Hardy Violets

Rich in modest beauty, famed for its enchanting fragrance, the Violet continues to increase in popularity. With the last snows of winter still about it this gentle flower shyly appears from out its icy bed, heralding the coming of spring. All our plants are absolutely clean and healthy.

Price, strong plants, 15c each; any 12 for \$1.50, postpaid. If 100 plants are wanted ask for prices.

FREY'S FRAGRANT—Flowers rich dark purple. For freedom of bloom this new variety outclassess all others. Very fragrant.

PRINCE OF WALES—One of the best. The large, blue, single flowers are deliciously fragrant.

## Bargains in Dingee Cannas

We have a particularly fine collection of these imposing foliage plants, including novelties and distribution. Cannas are not hardy and should not standard varieties which we have found worthy of be planted until danger of frost is past. Take the roots up in the fall and store them in a warm dry place.

CANNA BED NO. 16—For Bed 4 Feet Across—1 red for center; 6 yellow for circle or 7 one color, or we can reverse the order and send 1 yellow for center and 6 red for circle ppd. \$1.15.

CANNA BED NO. 17—For Bed 7 Feet Across—1 scarlet with red foliage for center; 6 yellow for first circle; 12 red for second circle or 19 one color, postpaid, \$2.75.

CANNA BED NO. 18—For Bed 10 Feet Across—1 red foliage for center; 6 yellow for first circle; 12 pink for second circle; 18 scarlet for third circle, or 37 all one color if desired. Ppd. \$5.50.

## Lawn Grass Seed

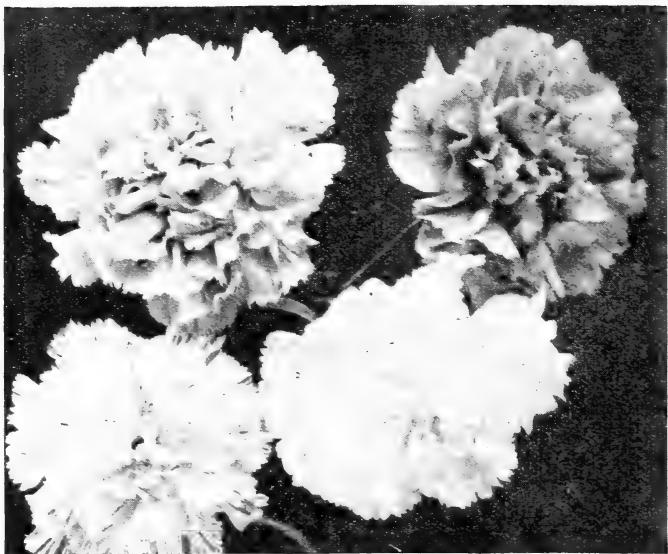
It produces a smooth, velvety green sward of attractive appearance. Sow the seed carefully and evenly at the rate of one quart to a space equal to 15x20 feet; two bushels will sow one acre. After sowing cover the seed by raking or harrowing it.

Seeding may be done at any time during the spring, summer or fall, but the best results are obtained by sowing during April, May, September or October. Where fall sowing is practical a top-dressing of manure is recommended to protect the roots of the young grass during the winter. In the spring the gross matter should be removed, leaving the surface clean. To renovate lawn, loosen the soil on the bare spots with a steel rake, and after sowing a liberal quantity of seed, roll or rake again to cover the seed.

Price, by mail, 50c per pound; in bulk, by express, 45c per pound, 20 pounds or more.



MASSACHUSETTS. I bought some Rose bushes of you and they are all wonderful. This is their third season and it is the best ever for blooms. A. M. E., Plymouth.



Dingee's Glorious Carnations

## Dingee Calla Lilies

**LILY OF THE NILE**—Grand white flowers. Strong plants. 20c each, postpaid.

**NEW YELLOW CALLA**—A grand novelty. Large fragrant yellow flowers, 25c each, postpaid.

**EVERBLOOMING CALLA GODFREY** (Dwarf)—

In bloom all the time. Fine. 20c each, postpaid.

**SPOTTED CALLA**—Leaves dark, rich green, dotted with white. Ornamental even when not in flower. Beautiful white flowers with deep black throat. 20c each, postpaid.

**SPECIAL OFFER**—One each of the 4 Callas offered above sent postpaid for 75c.

## Miscellaneous Plants

**ASPARAGUS SPRENGERI**—For pots, vases or hanging baskets. The long, slender branches droop most gracefully, clothed with feathery, emerald-green fronds. Strong plants, 15c each; 4 for 50c, postpaid.

**ASPARAGUS PLUMOSUS**—Foliage surpasses a Maidenhair fern; in grace and finish resembles the finest lace. Elegant for cutting. 20c each; 3 for 50c postpaid.

**NEW WEEPING LANTANA**—Beautiful for baskets, vases, pots or for outdoor culture and porch boxes. Produces its clear lilac-pink flowers by the hundreds from early summer until severe frosts. Delicately fragrant. Has a most graceful habit of growth. 15c ea; 4 for 50c. ppd.

**SALVIA** (Scarlet Sage)—Unequalled for dazzling show of fiery scarlet flowers until killed with frost. The great bedding plant. 10c each; \$1.00 per dozen; \$6.00 per 100, postpaid.

**VINCA VARIEGATA**—Beautiful trailing vine, bright green leaves bordered with creamy white. Fine for vases, hanging baskets and porch boxes. 15c each; 10 for \$1.00 postpaid.

## Pot Hydrangeas

Excellent for pot culture for blooming indoors during the winter. The foliage keeps dark green throughout the winter, making them an ideal decorative plant. They can also be planted outdoors, as they are hardy.

**OTAKSA**—Rich pink, changing to snow-white and blue.

**avalanche**—Large corymbs of pure white flowers.

**GENERAL DE VIBRAYE**—Large heads of bright rose. Price, 25c each; five for \$1.00, postpaid; large specimen plants from 4 to 6 inch pots, 75c each by express.

## Dingee Magnificent Carnations

We offer strong plants, and whether planted in the open ground or in pots, they quickly make large specimens, blooming profusely during the summer. For winter blooming pinch the plants back from time to time during the summer. Bring indoors in early fall. Grown in pots they will flower abundantly during the winter.

**AVIATOR**—The best standard crimson.

**MRS. C. W. WARD** — Deep pink.

**MATCHLESS**—Clear, brilliant white; fine form and very large. Highly scented. Delightful.

**ENCHANTRESS** — Brilliant pink; fine shade; large.

**RADIUM**—Brilliant red, extra large flowers.

**PINK MATCHLESS**—Magnificent large pink flower.

Price, strong pot plants, 15c each; 2 for 25c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

## STIM-U-PLANT

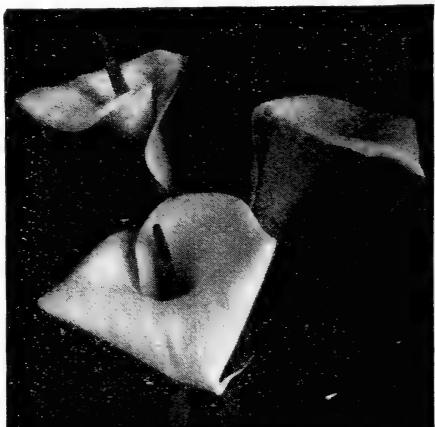
### TABLETS

An excellent fertilizer for this purpose is Stim-U-Plant, an odorless, highly concentrated plant food, in tablet form, with guaranteed chemical analysis of 11 per cent nitrogen, 12 per cent phosphoric acid, 15 per cent potash.

Especially fine for Roses. These tablets increase production, heighten color and improve quality immediately. Many professional and amateur growers use them extensively all the year round—from early spring until late fall outdoors, during the winter for pot plants, hot-house benches, etc. They are as fine for trees as for all garden and potted plants.

Easy to use. Simply insert tablets in soil near plants, or dissolve in water at the rate of four tablets to the gallon and apply as liquid manure. Complete directions with every package.

Prices, postpaid: Small size, 30c; 100 tablets, 80c; 1,000 tablets, \$3.75.



Dingee Calla Lily

## Dingee Decorative Ferns

Use a soil composed of five parts; two parts of good garden soil, two parts of finely screened peat or leaf mold from the woods, and one part sharp, clean sand. This should then be thoroughly sterilized by putting in an oven and baking in order to destroy earth worms, etc. Place some broken pieces of pots or crocks and some charcoal in the bottom of each pot for drainage. A temperature of not less than 55 degrees F. should be maintained at all times, with a rise in the daytime of 10 degrees to 15 degrees. On warm days they should be syringed at least twice. Never allow them to become too dry. Insects which are most troublesome are thrips, red spider, scale and mealy bug. Thrips, red spider and mealy bug are easily prevented by a properly moistened atmosphere, also by spraying of foliage once a week with tobacco water, made in the consistency of weak tea, and increased or diminished in strength as occasion demands.

Price of all Ferns in extra strong pot plants, 20c each; 6 for \$1.00; large plants from 4 and 5 inch pots, \$1.00 each, postpaid.

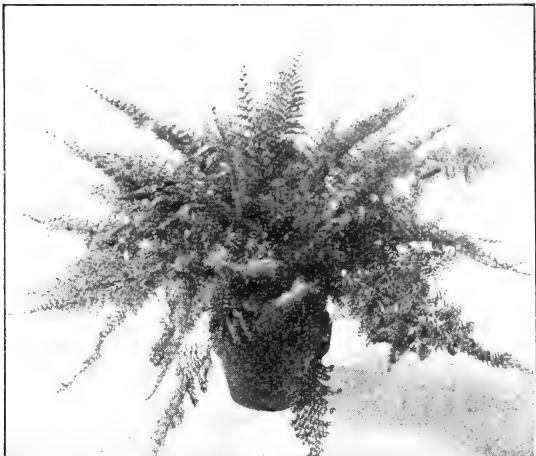
**TEDDY, JR.**—New dwarf Fern. Fronds are broad and beautifully tapered from the base to the tip, drooping just enough to make a graceful plant. Produces nearly four times as many fronds as any other Fern introduced. Compact, thrives under any condition.

**ROOSEVELT**—Resembles the Boston Fern, but produces many more fronds, thus making a handsomer and bushier plant; in fact, it today is more popular with the florists than the Boston; it will make a larger plant in a shorter time. The fronds are beautifully undulated, giving it a very pretty rising effect.

**JACKSONII**—Extremely strong grower. Resembling Sword Fern, quickly forming large, upright plant.

**BOSTON FERN**—This fern differs from the ordinary Sword Fern in having much longer fronds. This drooping habit adapts this variety for growing as a single specimen for a table or pedestal.

**MAIDENHAIR FERN** (Adiantum cuneatum)—The best known table Fern, with dainty, lacy fronds, unlike any other.



Whitmanii Fern

**DWARF BOSTON**—Same as Boston variety but a dwarf compact plant.

**VERONA**—The fronds are very fine and fluffy. Known as Lace or Baby Breath Fern. Dwarf or compact growth.

**SCHOLZELI** (The Crested Fern)—The fronds, like Scottii, stand erect, and with a graceful arch form a plant of ideal shape, and they never break down, giving the plant ragged appearance and allowing a free circulation of air through the foliage, prevents the center of even the largest specimens from becoming defective or yellow.

## Dingee Geraniums

Strong plants from 3-inch pots, all varieties, 20c each; 6 for \$1.00 prepaid.

### SELECTED DOUBLE VARIETIES

**ALPHONSE RICARD**—Semi-double; orange-red.  
**JULES VASSEUR**—Bright scarlet, white center.

**JEAN VIAUD**—Soft pink, white blotches.

**BERTHE DE PRISCILLA**—Dwarf habit. Fine bedder. Bright silver rose-pink.

**JOHN DOYLE**—Rich scarlet. Effective.

**MME. BUCHNER**—Snow-white; vigorous.

**RECAMIER**—Pure white. Strong grower.

**S. A. NUTT**—Rich, dark crimson. Superb.

**BEAUTE POITEVINE**—Bright salmon-pink.

**DR. DESPRES**—Violet, marked vermillion.

**LE PILOTE**—Glowing crimson-scarlet.

### SELECTED SINGLE VARIETIES

**LA FAVORITE**—Snowy-white, superb.

**MRS. E. G. HILL**—Free. Light salmon.

**EUGENE SUE**—Brilliant russet orange.

**L'AUBE**—One of the best pure whites.

**FEUER**—Brilliant crimson-red. Dwarf.

**BARON GRUBISSICH**—Bright rose. Clear white center.

**CLIFTON**—Solid color of bright red.

### IVY-LEAVED GERANIUMS

**DINA SCALARANDIS**—Double white, tinged lilac.

**MRS. BANKS**—Blush-white, upper petals feathered deep pink.

**ALLIANCE**—Delicate lilac-white, upper petals feathered.

**PIERRE CROZY**—Bright scarlet; dwarf, compact habit.

### FANCY AND SWEET-SCENTED GERANIUMS

**MADAM SALLEROI**—Green, dotted white.

**ROSE-SCENTED**—Delightful scent.

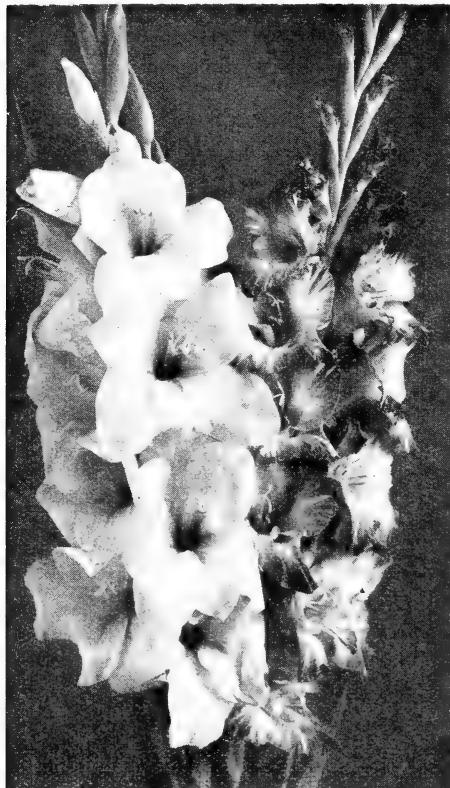
**LEMON-SCENTED**—Deliciously scented.

Dingee Geranium





PENNSYLVANIA. I set your plants out in the middle of the summer during a long protracted dry spell, and was rewarded with blooms up until frost. E. W. M., Washington.



Dingee Gladioli

## Rose-Growing Aids

**WALKER'S EXCELSIOR PLANT FOOD** An odorless preparation, combining in a highly concentrated and soluble form every element required in plants. (Postpaid)

2½ oz. cans, making 3 gals. \$0.20

5 oz. cans, making 6 gals. .35

12 oz. cans, making 15 gals. .55

**SULPHO-TOBACCO SOAP**—For sure, easy and immediate extermination of all insect life on plants, trees and animals, Sulpho-Tobacco Soap is a matchless preparation. Will not injure the most tender plant. It dissolves readily in water, and may be applied with a Tyrian Sprinkler. Prices, 3 oz. cake, 15c; 8 oz. cake, 30c, postpaid.

**EVERGREEN**—Keeps plants of all kinds free from all insects, such as *Aphis*, *Aster Beetle*, *Chrysanthemum Midge*, all insects troubling *Roses*, *Bean Beetle*, *Red Spider*, *Cabbage Worms*. Non-poisonous. (Postpaid)

1 oz. \$0.40 16 oz. \$2.15

6 oz. 1.15 32 oz. 3.75

## D. & C. Special Rose Fertilizer

We have had so many inquiries asking for a good fertilizer for Roses that after many years of experimenting found one that we highly recommend for indoors and out. Not only for Roses, but for all kinds of plants, but especially for Roses. We have added to this, material which will keep your plants free from insects of all kinds, both in the soil and on the plants. This is put up in a very convenient form so that it can be used without any inconvenience or disarrangeableness. 12 oz. packages, 30c; 2½ lbs., 75c, by parcel post prepaid; 100 lbs. by express collect, \$10.00.

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## Summer-Flowering Gladioli

Among the most popular summer-flowering bulbs, and of high decorative value, either in the garden or as a cut flower. All bulbs sent out by us are first class, sure to bloom. They should be planted in a sunny position about May 1.

Any 2 for 15c; any 6 for 35c; 60c per dozen, all postpaid by mail.

Selected from hundreds of the best varieties. In size of flowers, blooming quality and diversity of color, none will compare with these.

**AMERICA**—The most beautiful variety in cultivation. Soft flesh-pink, slightly tinged with lavender.

**CHICAGO WHITE**—Pure white; lavender stripes on lower petals.

**PANAMA**—A seedling of the famous America, with the same splendid form and substance, but is a richer, deeper pink.

**BARON HULOT**—Rich, royal violet-blue. Cut in combination with one of the yellow varieties is truly exquisite.

**CRIMSON GLOW**—Bright crimson-scarlet.

**HALLEY (The Early Giant)**—Salmon-pink, immense.

**WILBRINK**—A favorite variety for cutting; very early flowering, color delicate pink.

**HERADA**—Very large flowers of pure-mauve with deeper markings in the throat; on tall, straight spikes.

**SOUVENIR**—Superb golden yellow.

**MRS. FRANCES KING**—A striking shade of light scarlet or flame color; one of the most effective.

**LE MARECHAL FOCH**—Soft flesh-pink.

**YELLOW HAMMER**—Pure yellow lightly marked with red in throat, very beautiful.

**SPECIAL OFFER.** For 65c we will send one each of the above 12 varieties, postpaid. All choice sorts.

**MIXED GLADIOLI**—Exhibition sorts, all colors mixed. 35c per doz.; \$2.25 per 100, postpaid.

## Splendid Choice Gladioli

2 for 20c; \$1.00 per dozen for one or assorted varieties offered below, postpaid.

The following varieties are the choicest of the newer sorts. The beauty of the bloom must be seen to be appreciated. All Prepaid.

**MRS. FRANK PENDLETON**—In color a lovely salmon pink with brilliant deep, red blotches in the throat.

**GRETCHEN ZANG**—A most beautiful soft melting shade of pink, blending into deep salmon on the lower petals. Approaches the brilliant colorings of the *Beaute Poitevine* Geranium.

**PRINCE OF WALES (The Gladiolus Beautiful)**—

The color is superb, a gorgeous clear grenadine pink or glistening salmon with slight apricot reflections, melting to a throat of the sweetest yellow, the tips of petals shaded darker or apricot-buff.

**ODIN**—Deep salmon-pink; carmine blotches on lower petals.

**EVELYN KIRKLAND**—A splendid variety with large flowers of wonderful substance of rosy pink at the edges passing to shell-pink in the throat, with fiery scarlet blotches on lower petals.

**GOLDEN MEASURE**—Handsome spikes of yellow. Flowers deep brilliant crimson, large size.

**PEACE**—The large flowers are almost pure white; a trace of lilac on lower petals.

**SCARLET PRINCEPS**—Scarlet-crimson, three broad white blotches on lower petals.

**SCHWABEN** (The Primrose)—Delicate primrose with yellow and crimson center. Magnificent large flower and spike.

**MRS. DR. NORTON**—Very large flowers well set on a tall and graceful spike with 4 to 8 flowers in bloom at one time. Color, white, with edges of petals suffused with soft La France pink; a very choice variety.



FLORIDA. My first order from you was received about a year ago, all first size or one year plants, and they have bloomed so luxuriantly that I have not seen their superiors here. J. J. M., Miami.



## Dingee Hardy Peonies

Once Peonies are planted they last for a life time. They stand the severest winters without the slightest protection. Especially fine for single specimens and cemetery planting. Prices include postage.

**PRESIDENT TAFT**—Rose type; mid-season. Strong grower, a profuse bloomer, every shoot being crowned by a big bloom. A delicate Hydrangea-pink, completely enveloped in a halo of angelic white. Very fragrant. Price \$1.50 each.

**SARAH BERNHARDT**—Strong grower. Flowers remarkable size, full and double. Large petals that are twisted and imbricated. Apple blossom pink, each petal tipped. Price, \$1.50 each.

**LORD KITCHENER**—Brilliant scarlet. Great producer, making a grand display. Double early. Price \$1.50 each.

**LIVINGSTONE**—Rose type. Late. Very full, compact, pale lilac rose with silvery tips, center petals flecked carmine. Price \$1.50 each.

**MAD. JULES DESSERT**—Large flowers of beautiful form. Color pure white overlaid with a sheen of delicate blush with a pronounced pink center, inter-mixed with golden stamens. Price \$10.00 each.

**PRIMEVERE**—Large, medium compact, flat bomb type. Guards creamy white splashed scarlet; center light sulphur-yellow. Price, \$5.00 each.

**CLAIRE DU BOIS**—Rose type, late mid-season, large and double, silvery pink. Price, \$1.00 each.

**DR. H. BARNSEY**—Large, full, globular blooms. Soft Solferino red shaded crimson, pronounced bluish reflex. Price, \$3.50 each.

**GROVER CLEVELAND**—Very large; compact, rose type. Dark crimson. Strong vigorous grower. Late. Price, \$2.50 each.

**KARL ROSENFIELD**—Semi-rose type. Midseason. Tall grower, fine bloomer. Brilliant dark crimson. Price, \$2.50 each.

**SUZETTE**—Semi-rose type. Midseason. Handsome flowers of elegant shape and superb coloring. Bengal rose shaded carmine purple with silvery reflex. Price, \$1.50 each.

**ALSACE LORRAINE**—Semi-rose type. Late mid-season. Petals pronouncedly pointed. In the center petals are arranged like a water lily. Color rich creamy white, center delicately tinted brownish yellow. Price, \$3.50 each.

**ELIE CHEVALIER**—Large, globular, developing into a high built crown. Color Tyrian rose, center flecked with crimson. Price, \$2.50 each.

**JAMES KELWAY**—Early midseason. Rose white changing to a milk white, tinted yellow at base of petals. Price, \$3.00 each.

**MONSIEUR JULES ELIE**—Early midseason. Immense globular-type. Color an ideal glossy lilac-pink shading to deeper rose at the base, the entire flower overlaid with a silver sheen. Price, \$2.50 each.

**BARONESS SCHROEDER**—Late Rose type. One of the finest all-round peonies. Baby pink fading to the purest white. Immense flowers with high chalice shaped center. Price, \$1.50 each.

**TOURANGILLE**—Late midseason. Vigorous grower bearing large flat shaped flowers. Color pearly white overlaid with delicate salmon and with shades of La France rose. Price, \$5.00 each.

## Japanese Single Peonies

Price: 75c each; 6 for \$3.50 postpaid.

**CLAIRE**—Extra large dark red with a thick cluster of yellow stamens in the center of the flower.

**EVA**—A light but bright crimson with a thick cluster of yellow stamens.

**JACQUELINE**—Glittering pure white with yellow stamens in the center.

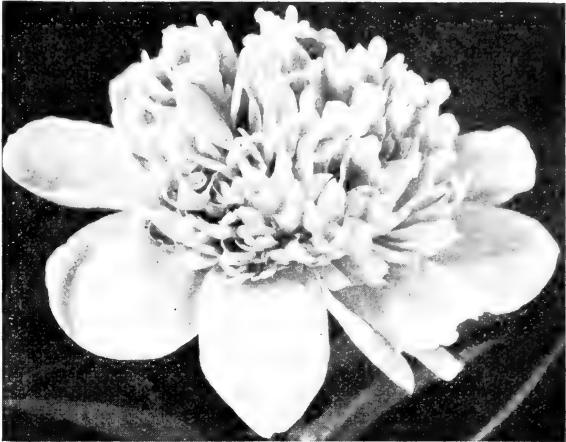
**NYMPHE**—Flesh color pink with yellow stamens.

**L'ETINCELANTE**—Very large cup-shaped flowers.

Brilliant carmine with silvery margin.

**MIKADO**—Crimson with gold center.

**CLARISSE**—Opens light pink, changes to pure white. Two rows of petals, inner row somewhat shorter. Yellow stamens.



Dingee Double Peony

## Standard Peonies

Price, strong roots, 65c each; \$6.50 per dozen. Postpaid.

**CAROLINE ALLEN**—Double. Rose and Salmon.

**CANDIDISSIMA**—Double. Creamy white.

**CANAERY**—Double. White primrose center, late.

**CHARLEMAGNE**—Lilac, blush center. Double.

**DUCHESSE DE NEMOURS**—Sulphur-white.

**DUKE OF WELLINGTON**—Sulphur-white. Double.

**EDULIS SUPERBA**—Double. Brilliant pink.

**FAUST**—Delicate light pink; double, late.

**FESTIVA MAXIMA**—White center, flaked red.

**FELIX CROUSSE**—Brilliant red. Double.

**FESTIVA ALBA**—Cream-white, red spots. Double.

**FRANCOIS ORTEGAT**—Deep crimson. Double.

**HUMEI**—Cherry pink. Highly cinnamon scented.

**HUMEI CARNEA**—Clear flesh tinged rose.

**IN SIGNIS**—Carmine rose. Very fragrant.

**JEANNE D'ARC**—Pure white. Early, double.

**L'ECLETAENTE**—Double. Crimson red.

**LOUIS VAN HOUTTE**—Velvety red. Double, late.

**LADY BRAMWELL**—Pink and rose. Double, mid-season.

**LOUIS PARMENTIER**—Double. Bright red.

**MODESTE GUERIN**—Deep rose. Double, midseason.

**MARECHAL VALIANT**—Double. Mauve pink.

**NOBILLISSIMA**—Dark violet red.

**ROSEA ELEGANS**—Soft rose. Double.

Mixed varieties, 50c each; \$5.00 per doz., postpaid.

## Lily of the Valley

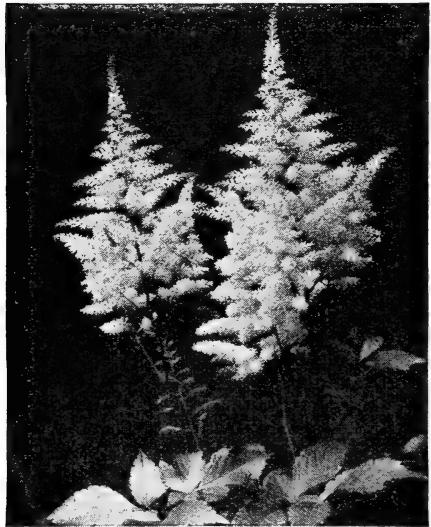
One of the most universally known and admired plants. The graceful spikes with the dainty pure white bells, are a delight to the eye, and their delicate fragrance is exquisite. Plants succeed almost anywhere, but prefer a partly shaded situation and rich soil. For house culture, plant rather thickly in pots or boxes, scatter some moss or other light material over the soil, which must not cover the crown; water well and set away in a dark cold place. When brought to heat and light leaves will soon appear. Delivery in November. Strong flowering crowns. Three for 25c; 75c per dozen; \$6.00 per 100, postpaid.

## Hardy Azalea Hinodegiri

Among the most gorgeous of all hardy shrubs, bearing large flowers of fine shape. The beautiful color makes an attractive showing when in bloom in early spring. The bush is just one mass of flowers. Evergreen and entirely hardy. Dwarf grower, making a bush in time of from 12 to 24 inches high and about the same in diameter. Flowers bright scarlet. Strong potted plants from 8 to 12 inches, \$1.00 each, postpaid.



**COLORADO.** Last spring I ordered seven Roses from you and want to tell you how well pleased I am with them. They all grew and made such wonderful growth. Mrs. J. M. S., Hotchkiss.



Astilbe

## Astilbes or Herbaceous Spirea

These hardy perennial herbs give such a striking effect to any hardy border or if planted as individual specimens in yard or garden. Graceful habit of growth producing tall spikes of delightfully feathered heads of flowers during June and July. Easily grown and when planted in the Fall bloom the following Spring. We offer strong potted plants of the leading varieties, postpaid.

**AMERICA**—Deep pink.

**GLADSTONE**—Immense trusses of snow white flowers.

**QUEEN ALEXANDRA**—Light pink.

**RUBENS**—Rosy red. Handsome feathered spikes.

**PEACH BLOSSOM**—Rose pink.

Price, strong pot plants, 50c each, postpaid; 6 for \$2.50.

## Miscellaneous Perennials--Postpaid

**YUCCA FILAMENTOSA** (Spanish Bayonet)—A low-growing evergreen plant with narrow leaves. The flower stalk is from 2 to 4 feet high and rises from the center. Creamy white, bell-shaped flowers. 25c each.

**FUNKIA** (Day Lily)—*Subcordata Grandiflora*—White Day Lily. Handsome spikes of large, waxy-like blossoms, with an odor like that of orange blossoms, and large broad, glossy, light-green foliage. One foot to 18 inches. 25c each.

**RUDBECKIA** (Golden Glow)—Grows 6 to 8 feet high, branching freely and bearing by the hundreds on long graceful stems exquisite double flowers of golden yellow. 25c each, postpaid.

**DELPHINIUM BELLADONNA**—This is the freest and most continuous blooming Hardy Larkspur. Clear turquoise blue. 25c each; 5 for \$1.00.

**DELPHINIUM BELLAMOSA**—This is a rich, deep blue form of the popular light blue Belladonna, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00.

**DELPHINIUM CHINESE WHITE**—A distinct and neat variety growing about 18 inches high, with fine, feathery foliage and producing freely large white blossoms. 25c each; 5 for \$1.00.

**HIBISCUS, MEEHAN'S MARVEL MALLOW**—They make a bush-like growth from 4 to 5 feet high and 2 to 3 feet across. The flowers are of an enormous size, frequently 8 to 10 inches in diameter and ranging in color from fiery crimson through various shades of red, pink and white. Require no care or protection. Price, Pink, Red or White, strong 2-year-old field-grown roots, 75c each, postpaid.

## Dingee Hardy Perennial Phlox

Diversified and brilliant colors, profuse and continuous bloom and adaptability to almost any situation or soil, place Hardy Phlox in the front rank of desirable flowering plants. Being perfectly hardy, once planted they improve and multiply in vigor and beauty each successive year.

Price, strong field plants, ready to plant any time, 25c each; any 5 for \$1.00; \$2.50 per doz., postpaid, of one or more varieties.

**BEACON**—Brilliant cherry red. 36 inches high. Flower heads are carried on strong stems.

**ELIZABETH CAMPBELL**—Light salmon pink with lighter shadings toward center of the flower.

**MRS. JENKINS**—Pure white. Late flowering. Splendid grower and free bloomer.

**RHEINLANDER**—Large flower heads on good stems. Color beautiful salmon pink.

**R. P. STRUTHERS**—Cherry red, shaded salmon.

**GEN. VAN HEUTZ**—Salmon red, white eye.

**GRIDEYRE**—Deep rose.

**SUNSET**—Dark rosy pink.

**W. C. EGAN**—Delicate lilac pink, rosy center.

**ECLAIR**—Purple crimson, light center.

**MRS. CHAS. DOOR**—Beautiful shade of lavender.

**ISABEY**—Salmon pink.

Mixed varieties, 2 for 25c; 9 for \$1.00 postpaid.

## German Iris

The memory of the "Blue Flag" of the old-time gardens is one ever sweet to those whose lives were lived in such surroundings, and while the "modern" Irises if we may use the term, will remind one of the old days, they, too, like everything else of these days have yielded to the influence of improvement, and there has been evolved a race of flowers absolutely bewildering in glory of their form and color.

**CANARY BIRD** (Flavescens)—Lovely pale yellow.

**DARIUS**—Yellow and lilac.

**HONORABILIS**—Deep yellow; mahogany falls.

**FLORENTINA ALBA** (Silver King)—Early white.

**INGEBORG** (Interregna)—Immense white; early.

**MRS. H. DARWIN**—White, violet, rather dwarf.

**LOHENGREN**—Foliage and flowers immense, of a

deep violet mauve, almost pink.

**QUEEN OF MAY** (Rosy Morn)—Lovely rose lilac.

**MADAME THIBAULT**—White, bordered rose lilac,

companion to Mad. Chereau; edge more pinkish.

**CHERION**—Standard lilac-mauve; falls mauve.

Price, strong field grown roots, 15c each; 8 for \$1.00. Mixed varieties, 10c each; \$1.00 per doz., all postpaid.



Phlox Beacon



OHIO. Last April I sent you an order for a collection of Roses, which I received and they have done very nicely this summer. They were your one year old plants and they have nearly all bloomed. Mrs. B. E. Gassel.



## Hardy Shrubs for Permanent Planting

They are absolutely hardy, and, once planted, last indefinitely, increasing in size and beauty every year.

For cold climate, where hardy plants are needed they stand without an equal. Planted in clumps, masses or used for hedges, screens, or for filling unsightly corners, they make a glorious show. They supply that certain something which is lacking in every yard where hardy shrubbery is not planted. We recommend a liberal planting of this class of plants. They last a lifetime and are sure to give splendid satisfaction. Set about three feet apart for a screen, but as individual specimens, plant wherever desired. Water freely when planted.

### Hydrangea Paniculata Grandiflora

We grow and sell annually thousands of these most popular of all shrubs. They are extensively used for yard, lawn and hedge planting and for screens. Attains a height of 5 to 7 feet; hardy in all localities; blooms the first and every season in July and August. The flowers are massive, cone-shaped often measuring 10 inches in length, and have a pleasing variation of color, changing from original pure white to pink, and finally to beautiful, rich, coppery-red. Well-rooted, field grown plants that will bloom this year.

### Lilacs (Syringa)

Best beloved of all the old-time garden shrubs, whose flowers never fail to charm with their delicate beauty or refresh with their tender fragrance. **NEW PERSIAN\***—Blooms in early June. Flowers beautiful reddish purple, very fragrant and borne in profusion; leaves rich, dark green.

**WHITE**—Thin rare and beautiful White Lilac is much sought after.

**PURPLE**—The old favorite. Price, in strong two-year-old plants only, 75c each, postpaid.

### Althea--Rose of Sharon

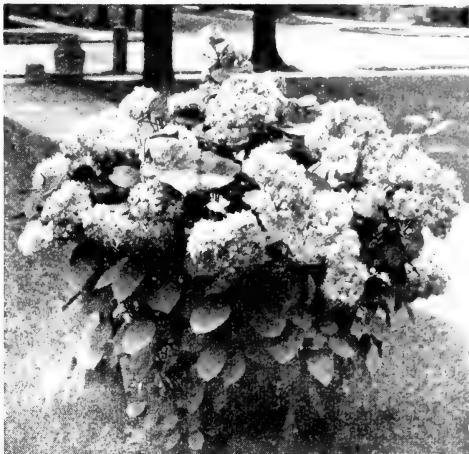
Flowers brilliant and striking, 9 to 12 feet high when matured during August and September.

**ALBA PLENA**—Large, double pure white.

**BLANCHE**—The nearest pure white of any.

**DOUBLE PURPLE**—Deep reddish purple.

**PEONIFLORA**—Double cherry red.



Everblooming Hydrangea—Arborescens Grandiflora

### Hydrangea Arborescens Grandiflora

The New Everblooming Hydrangea is, as its name implies, constantly in bloom from early in June until frost, and is one of the most important additions in the way of hardy shrubs ever introduced. All summer long it bears great clusters of white flowers, much like the tender Hydrangea in size and form; it will grow to perfection in partial shade, making it most valuable for massing under trees or growing on north side of house.

### Philadelphus or Mock Orange

**BOUQUET BLANC**—Dwarf growth with long slender branches densely covered from base to top with sweet-scented double flowers of creamy-white. In fact the flowers are borne in such great profusion as to totally obscure the plant.

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**PHILADELPHUS GRANDIFLORA**  
—Flowers creamy white and very fragrant.

### Weigela

**FLORIBUNDA**—6 to 8 ft. Erect grower. Beautiful red flowers.

**ROSEA**—Large deep rose.

**VARIEGATED LEAF**—Green leaves, pure white.

**EVA RATHKE**—Reddish purple.

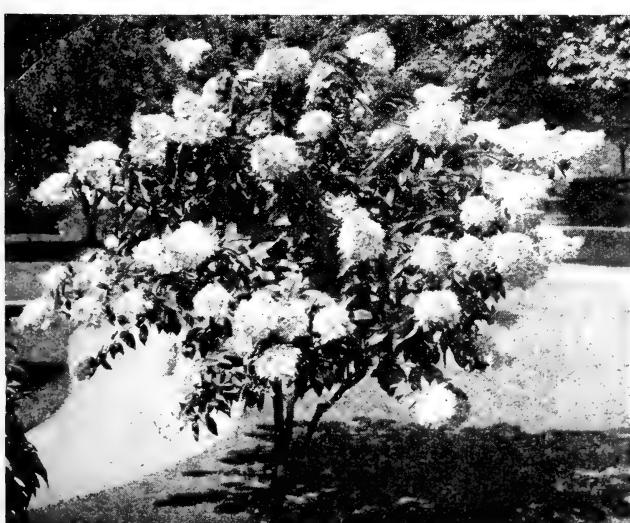
**AMABILIS**—4 to 6 ft. Deep rose colored flowers.

**MAD. LEMOINE**—4 to 6 ft. White flowers with delicate blush.

### Sweet-Scented Shrub

**CALYCANTHUS FLORIDUS, CAROLINA ALLSPICE**—3 to 6 ft. Flowers dark reddish brown and very fragrant and borne freely.

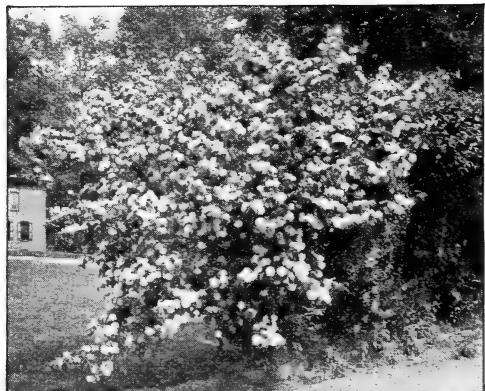
Price of all hardy shrubs on this page, except where otherwise noted: one-year-old size, 25c each; 6 for \$1.25, postpaid; two-year-old size, 75c each; \$7.50 per dozen, postpaid; three-year-old size, \$1.00 each; \$10.00 per dozen, by freight or express not prepaid.



Hydrangea Paniculata Grandiflora



UTAH. You may rest assured that future orders of mine will go to you and I shall lose no chance to boost your methods of doing business, aside from the fact that your stock cannot be surpassed. F. W. S., Ogden.



Double Japan Snowball

## Hardy Ornamental Grasses

For ornamental purposes these grasses are strikingly original in effect and impart a tropical brilliancy to the landscape. The plumes which these grasses produce are for lovely indoor decoration.

Prices of all Eulalias and Erianthus described below. 25c each; 5 for \$1.00.

**EULALIA GRACILLIMA UNIVITTATA.**

**E. JAPONICA ZEBRINA**—The leaf blades are of deep green, striped crosswise with pure white.

**E. JAPONICA VARIEGATA**—Blades are creamy white in the center.

**ERIANTHUS RAVENNAE**—Reed-like, ornamental.

## Berberis Thunbergi

**BARBERRY**—Grows 3 to 4 feet high; small, permanent to bright scarlet. Beautiful, brilliant red berries, clinging all winter. Price, first size plants, 8 to 12 inches, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; \$8.00 per 100 by express; larger plants, 18 to 24 inches, 50c each; \$4.00 per doz., postpaid; \$20.00 per 100 by express or freight. 25 at 100 rate.

## Spirea Meadow Sweet

**BILLARDI**—Spikes of rose-colored flowers.

**PRUNIFOLIA** (Bridal Wreath)—Double pure white.

**VAN HOUTTE**—Bushes compact. Flowers white.

**PERPETUAL BLOOMING CRIMSON SPIREA,**

**ANTHONY WATERER**—Low compact bush. 15 to 18 inches high. Deep crimson flowers.

## Kolkwitzia Amabilis

(Beauty Bush)

An exceedingly handsome new ornamental Shrub from the wilds of China, resembling the Weigelia and Honeysuckle to which it is allied. Growing 6 to 8 feet high at maturity with long arching branches, this variety combines all the merits of a perfect Shrub; hardiness, year around beauty of foliage and habit, and an amazing profusion of pale pink bell-shaped flowers in June. Strong plants 12 to 15 inches high, \$1.00 each.

## Evergreen Boxwood

Dwarf evergreen boxwood for edging walks, flower beds, etc. May be kept trimmed to any shape or height desired and always green. We offer the two varieties. The old English Box, *Sempervirens Suffruticosa* and the *Buxus Sempervirens* or the more robust growing boxwood. We offer strong plants 6 to 8 inches field grown. 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; \$17.50 per 100, postpaid.

## Double-Japan Snowball

(Viburnum Plicatum)

Blooms in early June, when the whole bush is loaded down with great, compact balls of pure white, double flowers. They are borne in such profusion that the entire plant appears one dense mass of bloom; the tree grows erect and bushy, 6 to 8 feet high, with deep green leaves peculiarly crimped and crinkled. Wondrously beautiful.

**VIBURNUM OPULUS STERILIS** (Old-fashioned Snowball)—A strong, hardy grower; pure white flowers borne freely. Popular.

## Daphne Cneorum

(Garland Flower)

This wonderful little evergreen plant is very popular due to the beautiful pink color and pleasing fragrance of its blossoms.

In May it is covered with flowers. Later in the fall it will flower again, they are not affected by frost, frequently can be picked in early December.

It grows about one foot high but spreads over a space of two to three feet.

We can supply well developed plants, 10 to 12 inches, in 6 in. pots at \$2.50 each, 4 in. pot plants at \$1.00 each, postpaid.

## Hardy Climbing Vines

**CLEMATIS PANICULATA**—The flowers are pure white and are borne in great panicles or clusters of bloom, fairly covering the plants, so that it is a mass or sheet of fleecy white with an exquisite fragrance. It begins to bloom late in August the first year. Strong plants in pots, 25c each. Strong two-year-old field-grown plants, 50c each. All postpaid.

**BOSTON IVY** (*Ampelopsis Veitchii*)—25c each; 5 for \$1.00; three-year-old plants, 3 feet in length 75c each, postpaid.

It covers buildings and walls with a perfect mat of dark green, leathery foliage, which changes to brilliant crimson as fall approaches. Clings to either tree or wood without support.

**ENGLISH IVY**—A splendid evergreen climber, with dark glossy green leaves; clings firmly to stone, brick or wood walls without trellis or support; very desirable. 25c each; 5 for \$1.00.

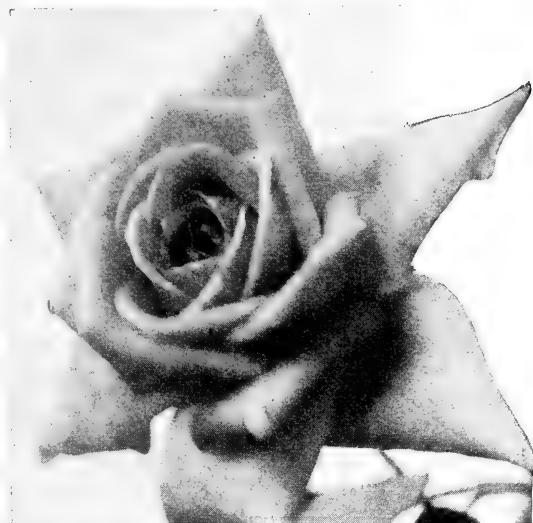
Price of all plants on this page, except where noted, one-year-old size, 25c each; any 6 for \$1.25, postpaid; two-year-old size, 75c each; \$7.50 per dozen, postpaid; three-year-old size, \$1.00 each, by freight or express at purchaser's expense.



Spirea Van Houtte

# BARGAIN SECTION OF SPECIAL OFFERINGS OF DINGEE GOODS

In this section we offer to our customers the opportunity of securing reliable goods at **BARGAIN PRICES**. This is only possible on account of the wonderful production of our immense establishment the past year, which has surpassed our expectation. The goods offered are equal to any offered in this book and our Guarantee applies to these collections the same as other goods. The plant and bulb collections are gotten ready for shipment in large numbers, each one alike, thus eliminating considerable expense in our shipping department, and which we wish our customers to have the advantage of.



Our Great Rose "Charles Dingee"

## 10 "Francis Scott Key" \$2 Collection, Postpaid

Last Word in Hybrid-Tea Monthly Blooming Bush Roses.

Hybrid-Tea Roses are the best of all classes for the wonderful blooms they produce. Long pointed buds, full double blooms. Hardy anywhere. Order a "Francis Scott Key" Collection.

### 10 HYBRID-TEA ROSES FOR \$2 POSTPAID

**BEIARCLIFF**—Magnificent, large full, double,

silvery pink. Fragrant as American Beauty.

**FRANCIS SCOTT KEY**—The finest double red

outdoor Rose.

**RED RADIANCE**—An even shade of clear red.

**GARDEN GEM**—Color a soft silvery flesh pink

deepening towards the center.

**MRS. AARON WARD**—Great producer of lovely buds of coppery orange to golden orange.

**WELLESLEY**—A lovely shade of pink.

**VIRGINIA R. COXE**—Color fiery crimson shaded with a dark velvety sheen.

**WHITE KILLARNEY**—One of the best pure white for the open ground.

**GEN. McARTHUR**—Well formed bloom of scarlet crimson.

**RADIANCE**—One of the best outdoor Roses. Color, carmine rose.

For \$2.00 we will send postpaid one each of these superb Hybrid-Tea Roses, all leaders, in the first size plants, each one labeled. In the large two-year-old size one each by express for \$6.50; for charges by parcel post with soil left on roots see page 3.

## The Rainbow Set

### 10 HARDY PERENNIAL PHLOX FOR \$1.50

For \$1.50 we will send, postpaid, 10 strong plants of Hardy Perennial Phlox, assorted varieties. Leading colors. Safe arrival guaranteed in U. S. A. Order as the "Rainbow Set."

## 10 Famous Dingee

### Roses For \$1.75

Postpaid with Safe Arrival Guaranteed in U. S. A.

Every spring we receive thousands of letters asking us to name a collection of Roses—the best kind for general home culture. In our vast collection the ten varieties named below are, in our opinion, among the best garden Roses for all sections of the country. Hardiness, vigorous growth, freedom of bloom, color and beauty of flower make them the best collection for amateur planting. They will bloom with the utmost freedom this year, except the Climbing Roses. No two alike. In this collection we include our wonderful Rose, Charles Dingee and Paul's Scarlet Climber, these two alone fully worth the price of the complete set. All labeled and sent postpaid. Safe arrival guaranteed to any point in the U. S. A. Order as the **DINGEE COLLECTION**.

The following great Roses comprise this collection. Each one will be correctly labeled.

See various pages of the book for fuller description.

**CHARLES DINGEE**—Without question the greatest Rose ever grown. See its glorious beauty of form and color on the cover.

**PINK MAMAN COCHET**—It bears masses of full deep-formed flowers singly, on long substantial stems. The color is a clear shade of rich pink, changing to silvery rose; of exquisite fragrance.

**WHITE MAMAN COCHET**—A magnificent snow-white Rose with a faint tinge of pale blush. Best white for open ground culture.

**PAUL'S SCARLET CLIMBER**—A splendid Cardinal Red climbing Rose of thrifty habit, beautiful foliage; absolutely hardy.

**MAD. FRANCISCA KROGER**—A constant bloomer, especially suited to bedding. The flowers are deeply shaded coppery yellow in color and are of large size.

**MADAME AELI CHATENAY**—Brilliant rosy carmine with shadings of deeper color. Particularly hardy and free in bloom.

**SOUVENIR DE PIERRE NOTTING**—Handsome apricot-yellow Rose, tinged with orange and the edge of petals shaded carmine-rose.

**LAURENT CARLE**—Rich velvety carmine buds and flowers.

**KOOTENAY**—Color a creamy white, with a shading of flesh colors toward the center. Foliage very heavy, unaffected by disease.

**CLIMBING PINK MAMAN COCHET**—Hardy Everblooming Climbing Rose. Blooms same style and color as the old favorite Pink Maman Cochet.

**Special Offer** This entire collection of 10 magnificent Dingee Roses, in strong one-year-old plants or first size, for \$1.75 postpaid; two-year-old plants by express, with soil on their roots, at purchaser's expense for \$5.00; for charges by parcel post with \$5.00 soil on roots, see page 3.



A Sturdy First size own root Rose Plant

## Seven Garden Set \$1.25

### 7 Hardy Everblooming Roses, Postpaid

**BIARCLIFF**—Magnificent, large, full and double silvery pink flowers. Fragrant as the American Beauty.

**MARIE GUILLOT**—A queen among white Roses. Large, full, finely formed flowers.

**RED RADIANCE**—Rich crimson; buds and flowers large, full and double.

**MARIE VAN HOUTTE**—Large, full, double flowers, canary-yellow, shaded creamy white.

**MAD. ABEL CHATENAY**—Immense, full, double flowers; rosy carmine, shading darker.

**WHITE MAMAN COCHET**—The premier white garden Rose. Absolutely none better.

**ALEX. HILL GRAY**—Large, finely formed flowers of canary-yellow color.

**SPECIAL OFFER**—One each, strong plants, 7 garden Roses described above, sent postpaid, for \$1.25; the seven in two-year-old plants, for \$4.00, by parcel post prepaid with soil on roots. Please order as "Garden" Set.

## 5 Hydrangea Collection \$1

### OF DINGEE HARDY SHEUBS, POSTPAID

Hardy shrubs can be successfully planted in the spring. Plant them anywhere and they soon make a grand display. No yard complete without them.

One each of the following popular varieties:

1 Everblooming Hydrangea, white.

1 Fall Blooming Hydrangea, pink.

1 Double Japan Snowball, white.

1 Spirea Bridal Wreath, white.

1 Weigela, pink.

Order as the "Hydrangea Collection."

The same 5 varieties in strong 2-year-old field plants, sent postpaid for \$2.50.

## Double Peony Collection

### 2-Year-Old Roots, 3 for \$1.00, Postpaid

Secure the plants early. You cannot fail with them. Bloom each and every season without fail.

For \$1.00 we will send you 3 strong roots, 3 different colors, White, Pink and Red. Worth many times the price. Order as the "Peony Collection."

# "A TRIAL OFFER"

## 8 Superb, Hardy, Free Blooming Varieties Postpaid For \$1.00

Our great stock of Roses, the largest in America, contains many very fine varieties which our catalog does not describe in detail, every way the equal, if not superior, to the popular favorites. We want you to know these Roses as we do, hence we make this remarkable offer. If you will send us \$1.00 we will forward eight of them, all different kinds, no two alike, properly labeled, postpaid and safe arrival guaranteed in U. S. A.

## 8 Rose Plants \$1.00 Postpaid

You will not be disappointed in these Roses, take our word for it. Some will bloom this year throughout the season and will continue each succeeding year to bloom more profusely and be a source of joy forever. We will include in this collection such magnificent Roses as Paul's Scarlet Climber, Vivid Scarlet, shaded slightly crimson.

"CHARLES DINGEE" illustrated in natural colors elsewhere. Free blooming. Note description in "Guide"

Order at your convenience and plants will be reserved for you and sent when you desire or immediately.

## The Favorite Collection

### 10 Hardy Free Blooming Climbing Roses \$1.25

Hardy Climbing Roses are so necessary to the beautifying of any home that it is almost impossible to make any place attractive without them. No matter where you go the most attractive places are those where climbing Roses have been planted freely and they stand out so beautifully above others that we can not help but notice them. They also answer the purpose of a hedge if given support like a wire fence, or they can be planted same as any other Rose, as specimen plants, if kept properly trimmed, they make a handsome bush.

### 10 FOR \$1.25 POSTPAID

For \$1.25 we will send you ten of these Hardy Free Blooming Climbing Roses. Each one different and labeled. All leading kinds as well as some of the New Ones, our Selection. You will not be disappointed in them, take our word for it. Safe delivery guaranteed in U. S. A. Order as "Favorite Collection."

"Favorite Collection" of Climbing Roses in two-year-old plants sent by express for \$5.00. For Parcel Post charges see page 3.

### "GEN. JACK SET"

## Six Hardy Hybrid Perpetual

### Roses \$1.25

Hybrid Perpetual Roses are considered the most valuable of all hardy plants. They are of vigorous growth and have large flowers.

**GENERAL JACQUEMINOT**—Bright crimson; very rich and velvety. One of the best.

**GLOIRE LYONNAISE**—Pale salmon-yellow, sometimes passing to rich, creamy-white.

**VICK'S CAPRICE**—Clear, satiny pink, striped and dashed with white and bright carmine.

**MAD. MASSON**—A superb variety. Color, clear bright rose. Distinct and charming.

**FRANCOIS LEVET**—Delightful shade of cherry pink, shaded with carmine. Flowers extra large. Remarkably free in bloom.

**J. B. CLARKE**—One of the best, if not the best hardy vivid crimson garden Rose.

**SPECIAL OFFER**—For \$1.25 we will send, postpaid, one each of the hardy Hybrid Perpetual Roses in first size plants, described above; one each in two-year-old plants, for \$3.50, by express or by parcel post prepaid with soil on roots for \$4.00. Please order as "Jack" Set.





PENNSYLVANIA. "Why I bought Roses from them (Dingee) 40 years ago. Some of these you now see came from them, and you can depend on them being right, too. G. H. L., Duncansville.



# The Always Popular Cochet Roses

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If you want five of the finest Roses listed in this book, which will produce hundreds of superb flowers throughout the growing season, and producing the kind of flowers one never tires of, order this Cochet set. No matter where you live, they will give you perfect satisfaction. The Cochet Roses are perfectly hardy in every part of the country, even where the winters are most severe, with slight protection. In the more temperate sections and in the South they thrive vigorously and bloom most lavishly all summer long, growing into great, strong, lusty bushes, which increase in beauty each year.

**\*PINK MAMAN COCHET**—The Queen of all Pink Garden Roses. The buds are large, full and firm elegantly pointed, showing depth and richness as they expand. The superb flowers open perfectly double, are extra large and of splendid substance. Hardy in every section of the country; clear, rich pink, changing to silvery rose.

**\*RED MAMAN COCHET** (Helen Gould)—A Rose that will grow and give satisfaction in almost any soil or situation. It produces flowers in amazing profusion, on long, strong shoots. The flowers are very full, perfectly double; buds long and pointed. Color, warm, rosy crimson.

**\*CRIMSON MAMAN COCHET** (Etoile de France)—A fitting companion to the other Cochet Roses on account of its vigor of growth, stiffness of foliage, freedom of bloom and hardiness. It bears masses of full, deep-formed flowers singly on long, substantial stems. The color is a new and clear shade of red or velvety crimson, brightening in the center; of exquisite fragrance.

**\*WHITE MAMAN COCHET**—A most magnificent snow-white Rose, with sometimes a faint tinge of pale blush. It has the same freedom of bloom as the Pink Cochet, the same magnificent form of buds and flowers, and the same hardiness—standing at the very head of all Roses as the best white kind for open ground culture. Vigorous as an oak and hardy everywhere.

Prices: Cochet Roses, strong one-year-old plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants 25c each; \$8.00 per dozen; star size, \$1.00 each, by express. See page 3 for Parcel Post Charges.

**\*YELLOW MAMAN COCHET**—One of the best hardy, everblooming yellow Roses. It is ideal for open ground culture—a typical Cochet Rose, with gracefully molded buds, flowers, magnificent when open, on stiff, strong stems. This kind is identical in every way with Pink and White Cochet, except in the color of the flower which is deep sulphur-yellow.

## Special Offer

One each of Pink, White, Red, Yellow and Crimson Cochet, strong plants, postpaid, \$1.00; two year old plants, one of each, 5 in all, \$8.00 by express; for Parcel Post charges, with soil on roots. See page 3. Still larger size or specimen plants at \$1.00 each of all the Cochets, by express.

## Dingee Dahlias

The splendid qualities and gorgeous beauty of the present day Dahlia have won for it a place at the head of the most important garden plants. None are easier to grow, respond more readily to care and attention, or flower more freely. Few cultivated plants have a wider range of color. The brilliant shades and the free, fluffy Chrysanthemum-like form of its flowers make an enchanting spectacle which never fails to attract attention. Plant soon as ground is warm in a moderately rich soil, covering the tubers six inches deep. Thin to one or two shoots. Cultivate well until it begins to bloom; after that stir only the surface soil just enough to prevent a crust forming. We pay postage.

## New and Rare Dahlias

**CHAMPAGNE** (Dec.)—An immense flower. The color is a delightful warm autumn shade. Very free bloomer, and has long rigid stems. \$1.00.

**ELEANOR GRANT** (Dec.)—Large flowers borne on extra long stems, the outer petals of light cameo pink, center is sea foam green. 50c.

**ELLINOR VANDERVEER** (Dec.)—One of the most admired Dahlias in our garden. Color lavender pink; flowers large size, on long stiff stems; good bloomer and keeps well. 75c.

**MRS. EDITH HAYWARD** (Dec.)—The color is a clear lemon-yellow, it will produce flowers from 6 to 8 inches in diameter and has a wonderful stem and will keep longer after being cut than any other Dahlia. 75c.

**SNOWDRIFT** (Dec.)—A giant, clear white. Flower has good depth with broad waxy petals of the true Decorative type. 50c.

**SOMERSET** (Dec.)—A blending of salmon and old rose with an occasional touch of lavender. Large flower, fine stem and vigorous grower. \$1.00.

**ROMAN EAGLE** (Dec.)—A nine to ten inch bloom of brilliant burnished copper. It scores 87 and won D. S. certificate at New Jersey. 50c.

One each of the above 7 Dahlias for \$6.00.

**AMERICAN BEAUTY** (Show)—The flowers gigantic, produced on long, heavy stems, well above the foliage. Color gorgeous wine-crimson. 25c.

**AUGUS MEGAR** (Show)—The largest and finest lavender-purple. Show Dahlia. Tall. 25c.

**DAVID WARFIELD** (Show)—Beautiful deep cherry-red. Producing its mammoth flowers upon stiff, wiry stems, well above the foliage. 50c.

**BRIDE'S BOUQUET** (Cac.)—An ideal white cactus and profuse bloomer, extra long stem, and a Dahlia that stands up well when cut. 25c.

**ETENDARD DE LYON** (Cac.)—The color is a trifle darker than rhodamine-purple, described by some as carmine-rose. 50c.

**LIBELLE** (Cac.)—Clear, deep rose-purple. 25c.

**BONNIE BRAE** (Dec.)—Cream, shaded blush-pink, one of the best. 50c.

**FRANK A. WALKER** (Dec.)—A charming shade of deep lavender-pink. For garden decoration or for cut flowers this variety is exceptionally good. 25c.

**GEORGE H. CARR** (Dec.)—The color is a peculiar shade of magenta shading lighter at tips. Free-flowering. 50c.

**THE BASHFUL GIANT** (Dec.)—This is one of the largest Dahlias ever produced. Also of great merit for its color, being an apricot with golden shadings. Flowers are produced on stout stems. 40c.

**MRS. CARL SALBACH** (Dec.)—In color, a mauve-pink, with occasional blending of white; the general impression being pink. 50c.

**MRS. I. DE VER WARNER** (Dec.)—Deep mauve-pink. One of the very best Dahlias. Long stiff stems and excellent for cut flowers. 75c.

**PRIDE OF CALIFORNIA** (Dec.)—Called the "American Beauty" Dahlia. Winner of Gold and Silver Medals. Huge crimson red flowers produced on long straight stems. 50c.

One each of the above 13 for \$5.50. A grand assortment.

## Mixed Dahlias

All colors and varieties. 15c each; \$1.50 per doz., postpaid.

# The Five Famous Cochet Roses

## Superb, Standard, Hardy Everblooming Bush Roses

The "HOUSE of DINGEE" has made the "COCHET ROSES" famous the world over. Absolutely the best of all hardy, free blooming Bush Roses for the home, yard or garden.

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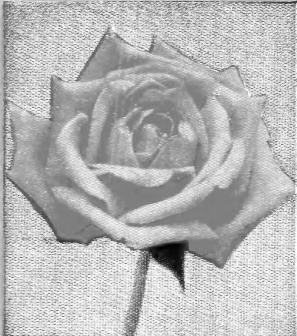
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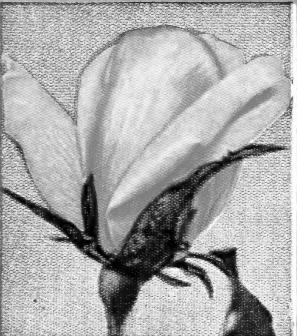
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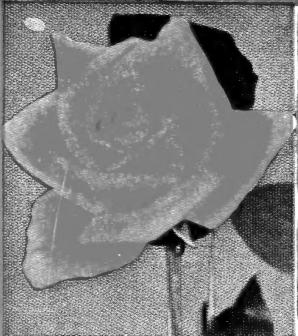
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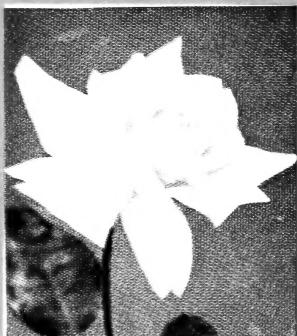
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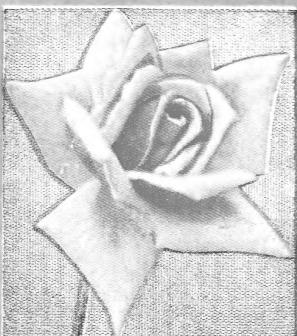
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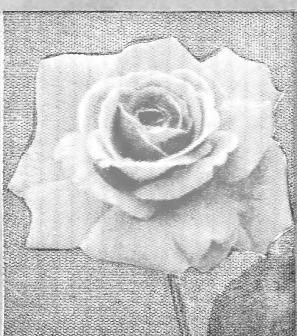
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Pink Radiance

## GREAT "RADIANCE" SET OF ROSES

### The Best Everblooming Bush Roses

These are the best of all Roses for the beginner. Wonderful blooms produced continuously. Long pointed buds, full double blooms. Hardy and healthy. Order "Radiance Set" 10 Famous Dingee Own Root Roses, \$2.00. Postpaid.

**RADIANCE**—One of the best outdoor Roses. Color richest carmine rose.

**FRANCIS SCOTT KEY**—The finest double red outdoor Rose. Quite hardy.

**RED RADIANCE**—A remarkable rose.

Splendid even shade of clear red.

**GRUSS AN TEPLITZ**—Color fiery crimson shaded with a dark velvety sheen.

**AMELIA GUDE**—Yellow rose deepening towards the center to peach yellow.

**GARDEN GEM**—"Dingee Rose." Satiny pink. Magnificent bud, full double-bloom. Strong grower, ever blooming.

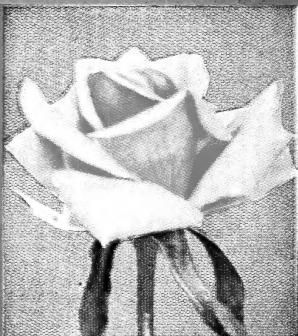
**MME. BUTTERFLY**—Buds lovely shade of Indian Oak with a yellow tint at base. Perfect form; richly perfumed.

**MRS. HENRY MORSE**—Two tones of pink with an underlying yellow glow.

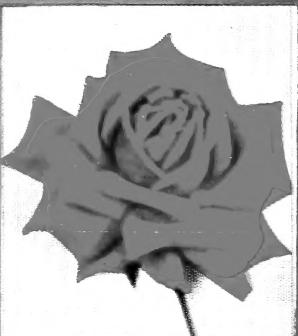
**KAISERIN AUG. VICTORIA**—The standard pure white. Free blooming rose.

**JOANNA HILL**—Gorgeous colors of Rev. F. Page Roberts type. Healthy, constant blooming. Long buds, immense double flowers. Deep yellow, base of petals deep orange. Exquisite. Fragrant.

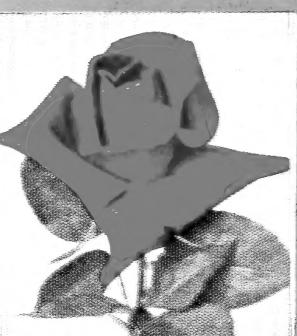
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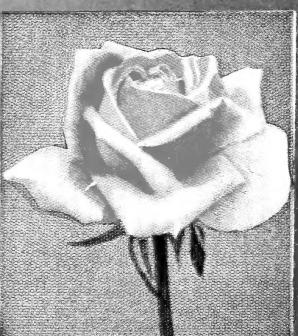
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